

TOBACCO MARKET REVIEW

FIRE-CURED AND DARK AIR-CURED

**1976 CROP
(1976-77 SEASON)**

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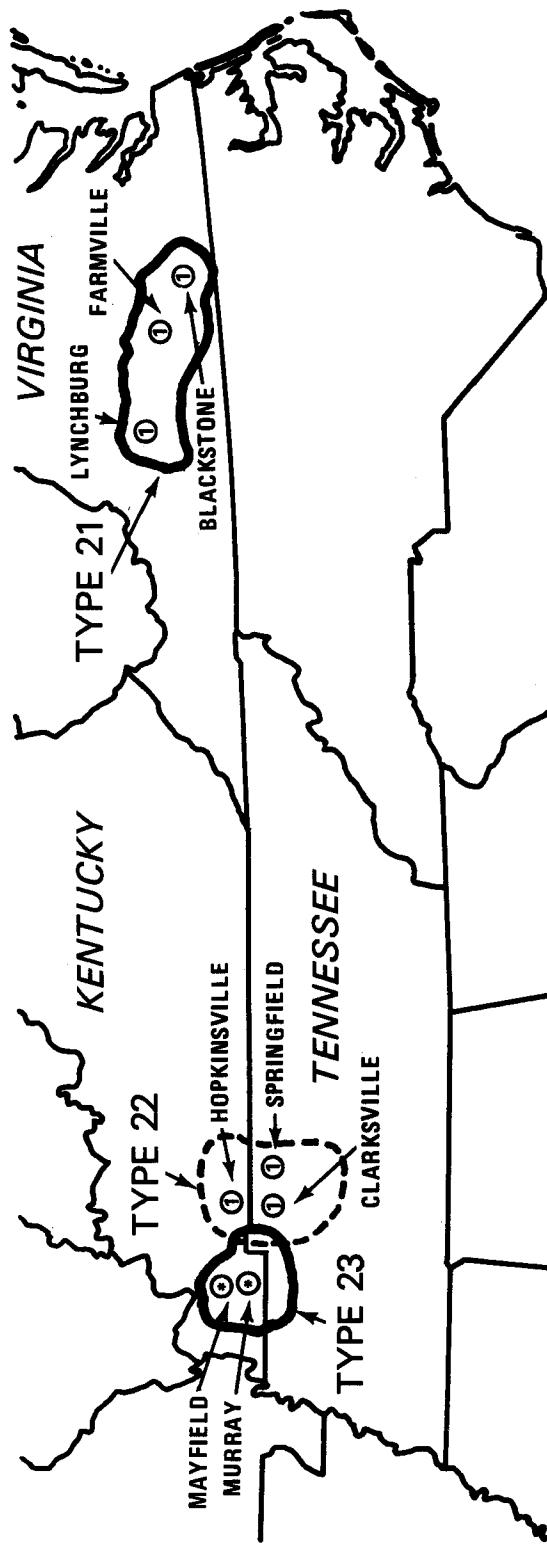
The data on prices by grades were based on compilation of information recorded from warehouse sales tickets from markets in the fire-cured and dark air-cured areas.

Cooperative Associations:

Commodity Credit Corporation loans made available to growers through cooperative associations as follows:

- Type 21: Dark Tobacco Sales Cooperative, Farmville, VA
- Type 22: Eastern Dark-fired Tobacco Growers' Association, Springfield, TN
- Type 23: Western Dark-fired Tobacco Growers' Association, Murray, KY
- Type 35: ~~Eastern~~ Dark-fired Tobacco Growers' Association, Springfield, TN
~~Western~~ Dark-fired Tobacco Growers' Association, Murray, KY
- Type 36: Stemming District Tobacco Association, Henderson, KY
- Type 37: Sun-cured Tobacco Marketing Cooperative, Inc., Richmond, VA

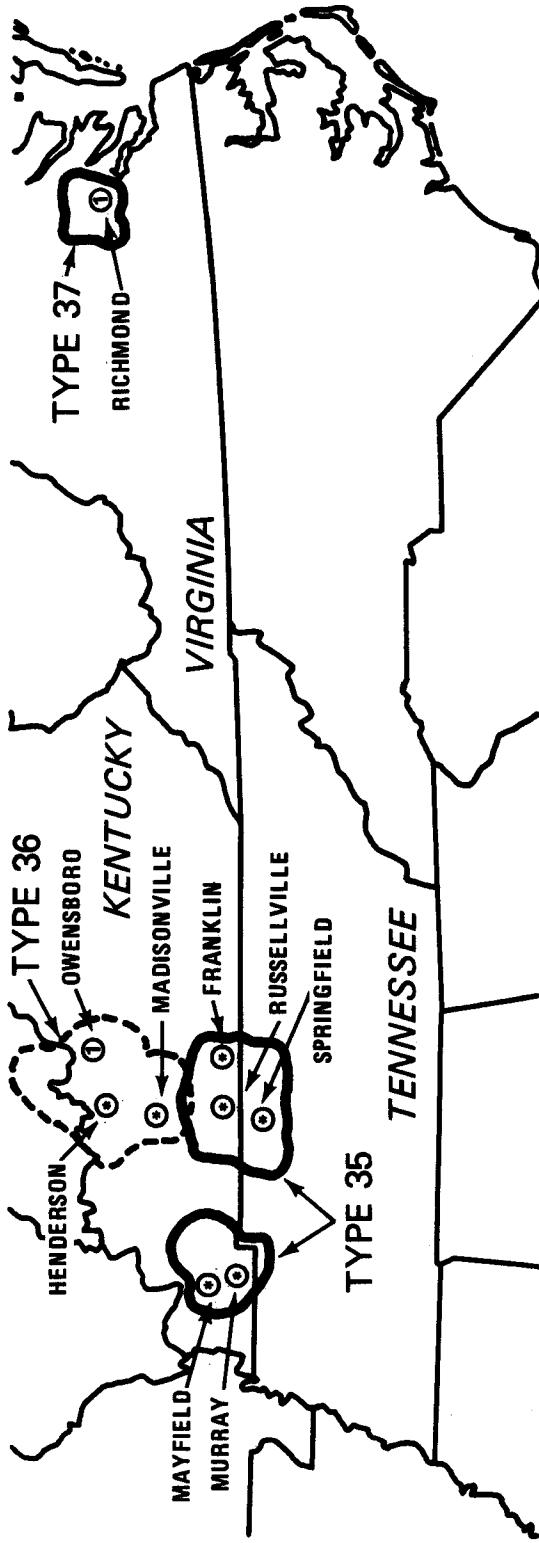
FIRE-CURED TOBACCO AUCTION MARKETS AND PRODUCING AREAS



Heavy lines are boundaries of producing areas.
Small numbers within circles represent number
of sets of buyers. All markets are officially
inspected.

① 1 SET OF BUYERS IN TYPE 23.

DARK AIR-CURED TOBACCO AUCTION MARKETS AND PRODUCING AREAS



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Heavy lines are boundaries of producing areas.
Small numbers within circles represent number
of sets of buyers. All markets are officially
inspected.

① 2 SETS OF BUYERS ROTATE AMONG TYPE 35 MARKETS,
HENDERSON AND MADISONVILLE SHARE A SET OF BUYERS.

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BRIEF OF FIRE-CURED GRADES

Type 21: Virginia fire-cured; produced in the Piedmont and mountain sections of Virginia.

Type 22: Eastern District fire-cured; produced in a section east of the Tennessee River in Southern Kentucky and northern Tennessee.

Type 23: Western District fire-cured; produced in a section between the Tennessee, Ohio and Mississippi Rivers in western Kentucky and northwestern Tennessee.

KEY TO STANDARD GRADE MARKS

<u>Groups</u>	<u>Qualities</u>	<u>Colors</u>	<u>Sizes 2/</u>	
A - Wrappers	1 - Choice	L - Light brown	Inches	Size
B - Heavy Leaf	2 - Fine	F - Medium brown	12-16	43
C - Thin Leaf	3 - Good	D - Dark brown	16-20	44
X - Lugs	4 - Fair	M - Mixed or variegated	20-24	45
N - Nondescript	5 - Low	VF - Greenish medium brown 1/	24-28	46
S - Scrap		G - Green	Over 28	47

SUMMARY OF STANDARD GRADES

<u>Wrappers</u>	<u>Heavy Leaf</u>					<u>Thin Leaf</u>				
A1F A1D	B1F	B1D				C1L C1F	C1D 1/			
A2F A2D	B2F	B2D				C2L C2F	C2D			
A3F 1/ A3D 1/	B3F	B3D	B3M	B3VF 1/	B3G	C3L C3F	C3D	C3M C3VF 1/	C3G	
	B4F	B4D	B4M	B4VF 1/	B4G	C4L C4F	C4D	C4M C4VF 1/	C4G	
	B5F	B5D	B5M	B5VF 1/	B5G	C5L C5F	C5D	C5M C5VF 1/	C5G	
<u>Lugs</u>						<u>Nondescript</u>				
X1L X1F X1D						N1L N1D	N1G			S
X2L X2F X2D						N2				
X3L X3F X3D X3M X3VF 1/ X3G										
X4L X4F X4D X4M X4VF 1/ X4G										
X5L X5F X5D X5M X5VF 1/ X5G										

Special factors "U" and "W" may be applied to all grades.
Tobacco not covered by the standard grades is designated "No-G."

APPLICABLE U.S. STANDARD SIZES

<u>Type 21</u>	<u>Types 22 and 23</u>
A1 - A2	45, 46, 47
B1	45, 46, 47
B2	44, 45, 46, 47
B3 - B4 - B5	43, 44, 45, 46, 47
C1	45, 46, 47
C2 - C3 - C4 - C5	44, 45, 46, 47
X3 - X4 - X5 - M and G 3/	45
1/ Types 22 and 23 only.	
2/ U.S. standard 4-inch sizes. The application of sizes is governed by the major portion of the lot or package.	
3/ No size is applied to these grades if tobacco is under size 45.	

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BRIEF OF DARK AIR-CURED GRADES

- Type 35: One Sucker; produced in northern Tennessee, south-central Kentucky, and southern Indiana.
- Type 36: Green River; produced in the Green River section of Kentucky.
- Type 37: Virginia Sun-cured; produced in the central section of Virginia, north of the James River.

KEY TO STANDARD GRADE MARKS

<u>Groups</u>	<u>Qualities</u>	<u>Colors</u>	<u>Sizes</u>
A - Wrappers	1 - Choice	L - Light brown	<u>Inches</u>
B - Heavy Leaf	2 - Fine	F - Medium brown	12-16 <u>Size</u>
C - Thin Leaf	3 - Good	R - Reddish brown	16-20 43
T - Tips	4 - Fair	D - Dark brown	20-24 44
X - Lugs	5 - Low	M - Mixed	24-28 45
N - Nondescript		G - Green	Over 28 46
S - Scrap			

SUMMARY OF STANDARD GRADES

<u>Wrappers</u>	<u>Heavy Leaf</u>					<u>Thin Leaf</u>					
A1F A1R	B1F	B1R	B1D			C1L	C1F	C1R			
A2F A2R	B2F	B2R	B2D			C2L	C2F	C2R			
A3F A3R	B3F	B3R	B3D	B3M	B3G	C3L	C3F	C3R	C3M	C3G	
	B4F	B4R	B4D	B4M	B4G	C4L	C4F	C4R	C4M	C4G	
	B5F	B5R	B5D	B5M	B5G	C5L	C5F	C5R	C5M	C5G	
<u>Tips</u>						<u>Lugs</u>					
T3F T3R T3D T3M T3G						X1L	X1F	X1R			
T4F T4R T4D T4M T4G						X2L	X2F	X2R			
T5F T5R T5D T5M T5G						X3L	X3F	X3R	X3D	X3M X3G	
						X4L	X4F	X4R	X4D	X4M X4G	
						X5L	X5F	X5R	X5D	X5M X5G	
<u>Nondescript</u>						<u>Scrap</u>					
	N1L	N1R	N1G			S					
	N2L	N2R	N2G								

Special factors "U" and "W" may be applied to all grades in all types, "BH" to grades in types 35 and 36, and "BL" to type 35. Tobacco not covered by the standard grades is designated "No-G."

APPLICABLE U.S. STANDARD SIZES

<u>Types 35 and 36</u>	<u>Type 37</u>
A1 - A2 - A3 45, 46, 47	A1 - A2 - A3 44, 45, 46
B1 - B2 - B3 - B4 - B5 44, 45, 46, 47	B1 - B2 - B3 - B4 - B5 44, 45, 46
C1 - C2 - C3 - C4 - C5 44, 45, 46, 47	C1 - C2 - C3 - C4 - C5 44, 45, 46

REVIEW OF THE FIRE-CURED AND DARK AIR-CURED MARKETS -- 1976-77 SEASON

FIRE-CURED

Record high prices.

Largest country sales on record.

Loan Receipts only 94,000 pounds.

Types 22-23

This was one of the most unusual seasons on record. The final auction total for types 22 and 23 was only 4,993,534 pounds but the average was a record \$138.09 per hundred. Country sales were 27,805,962 pounds averaging \$143.12. The average was \$35 above the 1975 crop. The bitter winter in January and February forced delays in delivery and hampered preparation of the crop creating one of the longest selling seasons in 30 years. At least 8 million pounds of tobacco was not delivered until April.

The percentage of good and fine quality leaf on the markets was below normal levels, however, due to the small percentage of tobacco actually graded and sold at auction, comparisons of the crop composition with the previous years are difficult to make.

Type 21

The 1976 crop had a normal selling season. Prices also rose to record levels. Volume was 5.3 million averaging \$117.57 per hundred - up \$14.60 from 1975.

DARK AIR-CURED

Record high prices.

Volume heavier by 1 million pounds.

Loan Receipts only 18,000 pounds.

Type 35

Country sales in this type also increased dramatically this year. Auction sales totaled 5,411,028 pounds averaging \$115.45 per hundred with non-auction deliveries of 5,043,723 pounds at \$116.28. The rise in the average price was up about \$23 from last year.

Type 36

The average price of \$118.64 per hundred was about \$30 above 1975. Volume was 4.6 million pounds.

Type 37

This type posted an average of \$104.62 which was \$19 higher than last year. Volume was up slightly at 754,474 pounds.

Table 1 - Opening and closing dates of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco seasons, sales floors, sets of buyers and number of sales days by types, states and markets.

TYPE, MARKET AND STATE	1976-77 SEASON						1975-76					
	Markets Number	Opening Dates	Closing Dates	Sales Days Number	Sales Floors	Buyers Sets	Opening Dates	Closing Dates	Sales Days Number	Sales Floors	Buyers Sets	

TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED
(Sales scheduled for Tuesday through Thursday)

Virginia:		Nov. 30	Feb. 24	14	2	1	Dec. 2	Feb. 5	19	2	1
Blackstone 1/		Nov. 30	Feb. 24	14	2	1	Dec. 2	Feb. 5	19	2	1
Farmville		Nov. 30	Feb. 24	14	2	1	Dec. 2	Feb. 5	19	2	1
Lynchburg		Nov. 30	Feb. 24	14	1	1	Dec. 2	Feb. 5	19	1	1
Total Type 21	3			5	3				5	3	

TYPES 22 & 23 -- KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED
(Sales scheduled for Monday through Thursday)

Tennessee:		Feb. 1	Apr. 6	20	7	1	Jan. 20	Mar. 3	27	7	1
Clarksville 2/		Feb. 3	Apr. 6	13	7	1	Jan. 20	Mar. 4	25	7	1
Springfield 2/				14	2				14	2	
Total Tennessee	2										
Hopkinsville 2/		Feb. 1	Mar. 30	11	5	1	Jan. 20	Mar. 4	27	5	1
Mayfield 2/		Jan. 25	Mar. 15	5	2	1	Jan. 20	Feb. 17	8	2	1
Murray 2/		Jan. 24	Mar. 14	5	2	1	Jan. 19	Feb. 17	8	3	1
Total Kentucky	3			9	3				10	3	
Total Types 22&23	5			23	5				24	5	
TOTAL FIRE-CURED	8			28	8				29	8	

TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER

(Sales scheduled Monday and Thursday at Russellville; Tuesday and Friday at Franklin; Wednesday and/or Friday at Springfield. Mayfield and Murray scheduled sales when needed.)

Kentucky:		Dec. 7	Mar. 11	10	3	3/	Dec. 9	Jan. 28	10	3	3/
Franklin 2/		Dec. 8	Mar. 8	6	2	3/	Dec. 10	Jan. 12	4	2	3/
Mayfield 2/		Dec. 9	Feb. 8	4	2	3/	Dec. 11	Jan. 12	4	3	3/
Murray 2/		Dec. 6	Mar. 15	12	8	3/	Dec. 8	Jan. 28	12	8	3/
Russellville 2/		4		15	3/				16	3/	
Total	1										
Tennessee:											
Springfield	1	Dec. 8	Mar. 9	9	5	3/	Dec. 5	Jan. 28	7	5	3/
Total Type 35 2/	5			20	2				21	2	

TYPE 36 -- GREEN RIVER
(Sales scheduled Monday through Friday)

Kentucky:		Dec. 1	Feb. 8	7	1	4/	Dec. 3	Jan. 19	8	1	
Henderson 2/		Nov. 30	Feb. 18	8	2	4/	Dec. 4	Jan. 20	10	2	
Madisonville		Dec. 2	Feb. 17	13	11	4/	Dec. 5	Jan. 19	11	11	1
Owensboro 2/				14	1				14	2	
Total Type 36	3										

TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED
(Sales scheduled for Tuesday through Friday)

Virginia:		1	Dec. 7	Jan. 28	16	1	1	Dec. 9	Jan. 30	16	1	1
TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED	9				35	4				36	5	

1/ Since 1969 sales have been held at Kenbridge, VA due to a warehouse fire at Blackstone.

2/ This market sells more than one type.

3/ Same 2 sets of buyers used for all markets in Type 35.

4/ Same set used for all markets in Type 36.

Table 2 - Producers' sales, value and average price, by types and crop years, of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPE 21 - VIRGINIA								
Crop	Sales	Value	Average : price		Crop	Sales	Value	Average : price
Auction:	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars			Pounds	Dollars	Dollars
1961	9,766,388	3,787,057	38.78		1976	5,250,615	6,173,072	117.57
1962	9,542,630	3,704,168	38.82		1977			
1963	6,214,809	2,205,562	35.49		1978			
1964	9,090,816	3,917,400	43.09		1979			
1965	9,564,549	3,812,430	39.86		1980			
1966	7,549,301	3,113,462	41.24		1981			
1967	6,989,348	2,858,785	40.90		1982			
1968	6,043,927	2,835,680	46.92		1983			
1969	6,666,832	3,539,027	53.08		1984			
1970	6,247,373	3,247,336	51.98		1985			
1971	5,851,227	3,208,266	54.83		1986			
1972	4,654,090	2,989,031	64.22		1987			
1973	5,654,036	4,271,812	75.55		1988			
1974	5,829,598	4,762,549	81.70		1989			
1975	4,754,139	4,420,147	92.97		1990			
TYPES 22 & 23 - KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED								
Auction:					1976	4,993,534	6,895,417	138.09
1961	40,768,083	16,180,642	39.69		1977			
1962	41,629,629	15,730,414	37.79		1978			
1963	45,731,764	16,373,493	35.80		1979			
1964	41,171,237	16,541,059	40.18		1980			
1965	32,620,260	13,948,276	42.76		1981			
1966	36,603,989	15,171,631	41.45		1982			
1967	25,642,707	11,678,173	45.54		1983			
1968	27,669,383	14,071,226	50.85		1984			
1969	29,360,299	13,968,409	47.58		1985			
1970	23,871,435	13,000,924	54.46		1986			
1971	28,052,363	17,063,689	60.83		1987			
1972	30,937,921	17,266,906	55.81		1988			
1973	19,366,646	13,941,638	71.99		1989			
1974	20,384,210	19,162,958	94.01		1990			
1975	22,315,094	23,304,157	104.43					
Country:					1976	27,805,962	39,797,264	143.12
1961	2,192,951	1,121,842	51.16		1977			
1962	2,854,571	1,490,060	52.20		1978			
1963	3,744,222	1,917,973	51.22		1979			
1964	4,258,190	2,097,200	49.25		1980			
1965	3,825,019	1,957,772	51.18		1981			
1966	3,581,719	1,800,420	50.27		1982			
1967	3,603,762	1,830,679	50.80		1983			
1968	4,663,218	2,472,770	53.03		1984			
1969	4,196,564	2,187,573	52.13		1985			
1970	6,788,732	3,693,802	54.41		1986			
1971	9,250,694	5,604,531	60.58		1987			
1972	6,296,273	4,075,886	64.73		1988			
1973	8,044,936	5,724,763	71.16		1989			
1974	5,317,016	4,791,264	90.11		1990			
1975	10,034,758	10,588,589	105.52					
Total:					1976	32,799,496	46,692,681	142.36
1961	42,961,034	17,302,484	40.27		1977			
1962	44,484,200	17,220,474	38.71		1978			
1963	49,475,986	18,291,466	36.97		1979			
1964	45,429,427	18,638,259	41.03		1980			
1965	36,445,279	15,906,048	43.64		1981			
1966	40,185,708	16,972,051	42.23		1982			
1967	29,246,469	13,508,852	46.19		1983			
1968	32,332,601	16,543,996	51.17		1984			
1969	33,556,863	16,155,982	48.15		1985			
1970	30,660,167	16,694,726	54.45		1986			
1971	37,303,057	22,668,220	60.77		1987			
1972	37,234,194	21,342,792	57.32		1988			
1973	27,411,582	19,666,401	71.74		1989			
1974	25,701,226	23,954,222	93.20		1990			
1975	32,349,852	33,892,746	104.77					

Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 2 (cont'd) - Producers' sales, value and average price, by types and crop years, of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPES 21-23 - TOTAL FIRE-CURED

Crop	Sales	Value	Average price	Crop	Sales	Value	Average price
	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>		<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>Dollars</u>
Auction:							
1961	50,534,471	19,967,699	39.51	1976	10,244,149	13,068,489	127.57
1962	51,172,259	19,434,582	37.98	1977			
1963	51,946,573	18,579,055	35.77	1978			
1964	50,262,053	20,458,507	40.70	1979			
1965	42,184,809	17,760,972	42.10	1980			
1966	44,153,290	18,285,093	41.41	1981			
1967	32,632,055	14,536,958	44.55	1982			
1968	33,713,310	16,906,906	50.15	1983			
1969	36,027,131	17,507,436	48.60	1984			
1970	30,118,808	16,248,260	53.95	1985			
1971	33,903,590	20,271,955	59.79	1986			
1972	35,592,011	20,255,937	56.91	1987			
1973	25,020,682	18,213,450	72.79	1988			
1974	26,213,808	23,925,507	91.27	1989			
1975	27,069,233	27,724,304	102.42	1990			
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Country:							
1961	2,192,951	1,121,842	51.16	1976	27,805,962	39,797,264	143.12
1962	2,848,571	1,490,060	52.31	1977			
1963	3,744,222	1,917,973	51.22	1978			
1964	4,258,190	2,097,200	49.25	1979			
1965	3,825,019	1,957,772	51.18	1980			
1966	3,581,719	1,800,420	50.27	1981			
1967	3,603,762	1,830,679	50.80	1982			
1968	4,663,218	2,472,770	53.03	1983			
1969	4,196,564	2,187,573	52.13	1984			
1970	6,788,732	3,693,802	54.41	1985			
1971	9,250,694	5,604,531	60.58	1986			
1972	6,296,273	4,075,886	64.73	1987			
1973	8,044,936	5,724,763	71.16	1988			
1974	5,317,016	4,791,264	90.11	1989			
1975	10,034,758	10,588,589	105.52	1990			
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Total:							
1961	52,727,422	21,089,541	40.00	1976	38,050,111	52,865,753	138.94
1962	54,020,830	20,924,642	38.73	1977			
1963	55,690,795	20,497,028	36.80	1978			
1964	54,520,243	22,555,707	41.37	1979			
1965	46,009,828	19,718,744	42.85	1980			
1966	47,735,009	20,085,513	42.08	1981			
1967	36,235,817	16,367,637	45.17	1982			
1968	38,376,528	19,379,675	50.50	1983			
1969	40,223,695	19,695,009	48.96	1984			
1970	36,907,540	19,942,062	54.03	1985			
1971	43,154,284	25,876,486	59.96	1986			
1972	41,888,284	24,331,823	58.09	1987			
1973	33,065,618	23,938,213	72.39	1988			
1974	31,530,824	28,716,771	91.08	1989			
1975	37,103,991	38,312,893	103.26	1990			

Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 2 (cont'd) - Producers' sales, value and average price, by types and crop years, of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPE 35 - ONE SUCKER									
Crop :	Sales :	Value :	Average price ::	Crop :	Sales :	Value :	Average price ::		
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars ::		Pounds	Dollars	Dollars		
Auction::									
1965 :	11,699,137	4,366,325	37.32 ::	1976 :	5,411,028	6,247,039	115.45		
1966 :	14,034,678	5,262,884	37.50 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	10,016,202	4,181,392	41.75 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	12,145,628	5,968,845	49.14 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	12,839,872	5,162,555	40.21 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	10,342,441	4,867,661	47.06 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	10,611,726	4,983,640	46.96 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	10,048,629	5,145,169	51.20 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	6,939,532	4,182,314	60.27 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	6,758,442	5,101,230	75.48 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	7,682,876	6,921,103	90.08 ::	1986 :					
Country::									
1965 :	144,515	82,935	57.39 ::	1976 :	5,043,723	5,864,636	116.28		
1966 :	204,841	115,567	56.42 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	382,954	218,524	57.06 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	406,256	238,810	58.78 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	284,172	175,037	61.59 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	347,530	211,730	60.92 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	387,186	236,461	61.07 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	502,365	323,604	64.42 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	1,335,871	894,398	66.95 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	549,182	409,024	74.48 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	1,720,016	1,624,055	94.42 ::	1986 :					
Total: :									
1965 :	11,843,652	4,449,260	37.57 ::	1976 :	10,454,751	12,111,675	115.85		
1966 :	14,239,519	5,378,451	37.77 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	10,399,156	4,399,916	42.31 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	12,551,884	6,207,655	49.46 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	13,124,044	5,337,592	40.67 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	10,689,971	5,079,391	47.52 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	10,998,912	5,220,101	47.46 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	10,550,994	5,468,773	51.83 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	8,275,403	5,076,712	61.35 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	7,307,624	5,510,254	75.40 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	9,402,892	8,545,158	90.88 ::	1986 :					
TYPE 36 - GREEN RIVER									
Auction::									
1965 :	6,634,154	2,391,520	35.05 ::	1976 :	4,620,796	5,482,148	118.64		
1966 :	7,072,732	2,567,710	36.30 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	5,040,458	1,911,402	37.92 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	5,595,732	2,387,300	42.66 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	5,107,448	2,010,864	39.37 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	4,669,944	1,985,187	42.51 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	4,604,539	2,137,347	46.42 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	5,048,749	2,391,423	47.37 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	3,929,826	2,497,732	63.56 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	4,069,568	3,261,017	80.13 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	4,678,362	4,129,823	88.27 ::	1986 :					

Data for crop years prior to 1965 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 2 (cont'd) - Producers' sales, value and average price, by types and crop years, of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPE 37 - VIRGINIA SUN-CURED									
Crop :	Sales :	Value :	Average price ::	Crop :	Sales :	Value :	Average price ::		
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars		Pounds	Dollars	Dollars		
Auction::									
1965 :	1,992,418	781,455	39.22 ::	1976 :	754,474	789,318	104.62		
1966 :	1,478,520	625,976	42.34 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	1,290,671	583,165	45.18 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	1,197,628	637,197	53.20 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	1,343,262	709,459	52.82 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	1,066,030	573,994	53.84 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	1,052,734	569,508	54.10 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	761,241	440,988	57.93 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	927,253	641,467	69.18 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	893,133	732,986	82.07 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	668,063	570,921	85.46 ::	1986 :					
TYPES 35-37 - TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED									
Auction::									
1965 :	20,325,709	7,539,300	37.09 ::	1976 :	10,786,298	12,518,505	116.06		
1966 :	22,585,930	8,456,570	37.44 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	16,347,331	6,675,959	40.84 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	18,938,988	8,993,342	47.49 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	19,290,582	7,882,878	40.86 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	16,078,415	7,426,842	46.19 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	16,268,999	7,690,495	47.27 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	15,858,619	7,977,580	50.30 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	11,796,611	7,321,513	62.06 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	11,721,143	9,095,233	77.60 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	13,029,301	11,621,847	89.20 ::	1986 :					
Country::									
1965 :	144,515	82,935	57.39 ::	1/1976 :	5,059,285	5,883,183	116.28		
1966 :	204,841	115,567	56.42 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	382,954	218,524	57.06 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	406,256	238,810	58.78 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	284,172	175,037	61.59 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	347,530	211,730	60.92 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	387,186	236,461	61.07 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	502,365	323,604	64.42 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	1,335,871	894,398	66.95 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	549,182	409,024	74.48 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	1,720,016	1,624,055	94.42 ::	1986 :					
Total:									
1965 :	20,470,224	7,622,235	37.23 ::	1976 :	15,845,583	18,401,688	116.13		
1966 :	22,790,771	8,572,137	37.61 ::	1977 :					
1967 :	16,730,285	6,894,483	41.21 ::	1978 :					
1968 :	19,345,244	9,232,152	47.72 ::	1979 :					
1969 :	19,574,754	8,057,915	41.16 ::	1980 :					
1970 :	16,425,945	7,638,572	46.50 ::	1981 :					
1971 :	16,656,185	7,926,956	47.59 ::	1982 :					
1972 :	16,360,984	8,301,184	50.74 ::	1983 :					
1973 :	13,132,482	8,215,911	62.56 ::	1984 :					
1974 :	12,270,325	9,504,257	77.46 ::	1985 :					
1975 :	14,749,317	13,245,902	89.81 ::	1986 :					

Data for crop years prior to 1965 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

1/ Includes 15,562 pounds, averaging \$119.18 of Green River tobacco.

Table 3 - Gross sales, value and average price; resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by types and crop years for fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.
TYPE 21 - VIRGINIA

Crop	Gross			Resales			Percentage of gross sales
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price	Percent	
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars		
1961 :	10,005,848	3,877,056	38.75	239,460	37.58	2.4	
1962 :	9,839,912	3,808,808	38.71	297,282	35.20	3.0	
1963 :	6,441,379	2,279,507	35.39	226,570	32.64	3.5	
1964 :	9,357,900	4,026,460	43.03	267,084	40.83	2.9	
1965 :	9,732,477	3,872,991	39.79	167,928	35.91	1.7	
1966 :	7,700,213	3,169,964	41.17	150,912	37.44	2.0	
1967 :	7,101,494	2,901,994	40.86	112,146	38.53	1.6	
1968 :	6,112,579	2,865,336	46.88	68,652	43.20	1.1	
1969 :	6,811,288	3,602,224	52.89	144,456	43.75	2.1	
1970 :	6,348,019	3,285,524	51.76	100,646	37.94	1.6	
1971 :	5,969,206	3,272,218	54.82	117,979	54.21	2.0	
1972 :	4,695,976	3,012,285	64.15	41,886	55.52	.9	
1973 :	5,692,800	4,299,543	75.53	38,764	71.54	.7	
1974 :	5,891,056	4,804,001	81.55	61,458	67.45	1.0	
1975 :	4,800,707	4,444,829	92.59	46,568	53.00	1.0	
1976 :	5,358,583	6,277,792	117.15	107,968	96.99	2.0	
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TYPE 22 & 23 - KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED							
1961 :	41,165,969	16,324,685	39.66	397,886	36.20	1.0	
1962 :	42,019,253	15,856,975	37.74	389,624	32.48	.9	
1963 :	46,126,868	16,497,848	35.77	395,104	31.48	.9	
1964 :	41,471,253	16,648,111	40.14	300,016	35.66	.7	
1965 :	32,979,516	14,091,141	42.73	359,256	39.77	1.1	
1966 :	36,950,365	15,302,331	41.41	346,376	37.74	.9	
1967 :	26,024,665	11,833,768	45.47	381,958	40.74	1.5	
1968 :	28,370,195	14,410,026	50.79	700,812	48.35	2.5	
1969 :	30,336,992	14,410,414	47.50	976,693	45.26	3.2	
1970 :	24,520,007	13,345,152	54.43	648,572	53.07	2.6	
1971 :	28,669,005	17,425,353	60.78	616,642	58.65	2.2	
1972 :	31,543,972	17,607,429	55.82	606,051	56.19	1.9	
1973 :	19,869,290	14,274,921	71.84	502,644	66.31	2.5	
1974 :	20,037,136	19,157,076	95.61	353,316	81.74	1.8	
1975 :	22,830,244	23,829,004	104.37	515,150	101.88	2.2	
1976 :	5,111,484	7,055,492	138.03	117,950	135.71	2.3	
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Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 3 (cont'd) - Gross sales, value and average price; resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by types and crop years for fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.
TYPES 21-23 - TOTAL FIRE-CURED

Crop :	Gross			Resales			Percentage of gross sales
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price		
Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	
1961 : 51,171,817	20,201,741	39.48	637,346	36.72	36.72	1.2	
1962 : 51,859,165	19,665,783	37.92	686,906	33.66	33.66	1.3	
1963 : 52,568,247	18,777,355	35.72	621,674	31.90	31.90	1.2	
1964 : 50,829,153	20,674,571	40.67	567,100	38.10	38.10	1.1	
1965 : 42,711,993	17,964,132	42.06	527,184	38.54	38.54	1.2	
1966 : 44,650,578	18,472,295	41.37	497,288	37.64	37.64	1.1	
1967 : 33,126,159	14,735,762	44.48	494,104	40.24	40.24	1.5	
1968 : 34,482,774	17,275,362	50.10	769,464	47.88	47.88	2.2	
1969 : 37,148,280	18,012,638	48.49	1,121,149	45.06	45.06	3.0	
1970 : 30,868,026	16,630,676	53.88	749,218	51.04	51.04	2.4	
1971 : 34,638,211	20,697,571	59.75	734,621	57.94	57.94	2.1	
1972 : 36,239,948	20,619,714	56.90	647,937	56.14	56.14	1.8	
1973 : 25,562,090	18,574,464	72.66	541,408	66.68	66.68	2.1	
1974 : 26,628,582	24,255,791	91.09	414,774	79.63	79.63	1.6	
1975 : 27,630,951	28,273,833	102.33	561,718	97.83	97.83	2.0	
1976 : 10,470,067	13,333,284	127.35	225,918	117.21	117.21	2.2	
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TYPE 35 - ONE SUCKER

Crop :	TYPE 35 - ONE SUCKER			Resales			Percentage of gross sales
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price		
Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Percent	
1961 : 13,668,020	5,341,959	39.08	50,926	31.90	31.90	.4	
1962 : 14,762,433	5,411,025	36.65	54,652	27.73	27.73	.4	
1963 : 16,267,048	5,369,369	33.01	26,774	20.77	20.77	.2	
1964 : 14,838,716	5,612,843	37.83	35,026	30.49	30.49	.2	
1965 : 11,734,509	4,379,962	37.32	35,372	38.55	38.55	.3	
1966 : 14,102,456	5,287,269	37.49	67,778	35.98	35.98	.5	
1967 : 10,081,834	4,204,029	41.70	65,632	34.49	34.49	.7	
1968 : 12,200,644	5,994,833	49.14	55,016	47.24	47.24	.5	
1969 : 12,900,958	5,190,786	40.24	61,086	46.22	46.22	.5	
1970 : 10,390,177	4,888,575	47.05	47,736	43.81	43.81	.5	
1971 : 10,659,356	5,006,453	46.97	47,630	47.90	47.90	.4	
1972 : 10,158,695	5,207,971	51.27	110,066	57.06	57.06	1.1	
1973 : 7,057,314	4,248,974	60.21	117,782	56.60	56.60	1.7	
1974 : 6,962,758	5,244,855	75.33	204,316	70.30	70.30	2.9	
1975 : 7,983,086	7,191,382	90.08	300,210	90.03	90.03	3.8	
1976 : 5,662,470	6,528,066	115.29	251,442	111.77	111.77	4.4	
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Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 3 (cont'd) - Gross sales, value and average price; resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by types and crop years for fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPE 36 - GREEN RIVER

Crop	Gross			Resales			Percentage of gross sales
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price	Percent	
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars		
1961 :	7,095,624	2,498,256	35.21	152,056	31.11	2.1	
1962 :	7,814,452	2,730,336	34.94	235,804	28.30	3.0	
1963 :	8,074,871	2,736,087	33.88	156,880	26.81	1.9	
1964 :	7,768,334	2,755,293	35.47	108,912	33.48	1.4	
1965 :	6,745,616	2,428,479	36.00	111,462	33.16	1.7	
1966 :	7,213,906	2,620,863	36.33	141,174	37.65	2.0	
1967 :	5,178,906	1,964,461	37.93	138,448	38.32	2.7	
1968 :	5,659,122	2,414,309	42.66	63,390	42.61	1.1	
1969 :	5,170,966	2,034,964	39.35	63,518	37.94	1.2	
1970 :	4,779,698	2,029,886	42.47	109,754	40.73	2.3	
1971 :	4,753,309	2,203,019	46.35	148,770	44.14	3.1	
1972 :	5,123,033	2,426,304	47.36	74,284	46.96	1.5	
1973 :	4,042,000	2,564,365	63.44	112,174	59.40	2.8	
1974 :	4,257,632	3,399,596	79.85	188,064	73.69	4.4	
1975 :	4,710,856	4,160,006	88.31	32,494	92.89	.7	
1976 :	4,970,598	5,899,672	118.69	349,802	119.36	7.0	
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TYPE 37 - VIRGINIA SUN-CURED

Crop	Gross			Resales			Percentage of gross sales
	Sales	Value	Average price	Resales	Average price	Percent	
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars		
1961 :	2,191,743	872,098	39.79	7,654	35.47	.3	
1962 :	2,254,366	841,708	37.34	27,532	34.23	1.2	
1963 :	1,151,357	360,618	31.32	12,788	20.62	1.1	
1964 :	1,797,942	739,332	41.12	8,948	36.22	.5	
1965 :	2,003,774	785,103	39.18	11,356	32.12	.6	
1966 :	1,491,050	629,388	42.21	12,530	27.23	.8	
1967 :	1,298,397	585,523	45.10	7,726	30.52	.6	
1968 :	1,199,154	637,779	53.19	1,526	38.14	.1	
1969 :	1,348,078	711,244	52.76	4,816	37.06	.4	
1970 :	1,074,834	577,786	53.76	8,804	43.07	.8	
1971 :	1,054,940	570,274	54.06	2,206	34.72	.2	
1972 :	763,347	441,642	57.86	2,106	31.05	.3	
1973 :	927,391	641,508	69.17	138	29.71	.01	
1974 :	898,691	736,107	81.91	5,558	56.15	.6	
1975 :	674,075	575,214	85.33	6,012	71.41	.9	
1976 :	758,218	790,780	104.29	3,744	39.05	.5	
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Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

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Table 3 (cont'd) - Gross sales, value and average price; resales, average price and percentage of gross sales, by types and crop years for fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPES 35-37 - TOTAL DARK AIR-CURED							
		Gross		Resales			
Crop :	Sales	: Value	: Average price	Resales	: Average price	: Percentage of gross sales	
	Pounds	Dollars	Dollars	Pounds	Dollars	Percent	
1961 :	22,955,387	8,712,313	37.95	210,636	31.46	.9	
1962 :	24,831,251	8,983,069	36.18	317,988	28.71	1.3	
1963 :	25,493,276	8,466,074	33.21	196,442	25.59	.8	
1964 :	24,404,992	9,107,468	37.32	152,886	32.96	.6	
1965 :	20,483,899	7,593,544	37.07	158,190	34.29	.8	
1966 :	22,807,412	8,537,520	37.43	221,482	36.55	1.0	
1967 :	16,559,137	6,754,013	40.79	211,806	36.85	1.3	
1968 :	19,058,920	9,046,921	47.47	119,932	44.67	.6	
1969 :	19,420,002	7,936,994	40.87	129,420	41.81	.7	
1970 :	16,244,709	7,496,247	46.14	166,294	41.74	1.0	
1971 :	16,467,605	7,779,746	47.24	198,606	44.94	1.2	
1972 :	16,045,075	8,075,917	50.33	186,456	52.74	1.2	
1973 :	12,026,705	7,454,847	62.00	230,094	57.95	1.9	
1974 :	12,139,081	9,380,558	77.28	397,938	71.70	3.3	
1975 :	13,368,017	11,926,602	89.22	338,716	89.97	2.5	
1976 :	11,391,286	13,218,518	116.04	604,988	115.71	5.3	
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Data for crop years prior to 1961 may be found in the 1975 and earlier Reviews.

Table 4 - Producers' sales, resales, gross sales, value and average price by types of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

TYPE AND FORM OF SALES	1 9 7 6 C R O P			1 9 7 5 C R O P		
	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)
FIRE-CURED						
Virginia Fire-cured						
Auction:						
Producers'	5,250,615	6,173,072	117.57	4,754,139	4,420,147	92.97
Resales	107,968	104,720	96.99	46,568	24,682	53.00
Gross Auction 1/	5,358,583	6,277,792	117.15	4,800,707	4,444,829	92.59
Kentucky & Tennessee						
Fire-cured						
Auction:						
Producers'	4,993,534	6,895,417	138.09	22,315,094	23,304,157	104.43
Resales	117,950	160,075	135.71	515,150	524,847	101.88
Gross Auction	5,111,484	7,055,492	138.03	22,830,244	23,829,004	104.37
Country Sales:	27,805,962	39,797,264	143.12	10,034,758	10,588,589	105.52
Total Producers'	32,799,496	46,692,681	142.36	32,349,852	33,892,746	104.77
Total Fire-cured						
Auction:						
Producers'	10,244,149	13,068,489	127.57	27,069,233	27,724,304	102.42
Resales	225,918	264,795	117.21	561,718	549,529	97.83
Gross Auction	10,470,067	13,333,284	127.35	27,630,951	28,273,833	102.33
Country Sales:	27,805,962	39,797,264	143.12	10,034,758	10,588,589	105.52
Total Producers'	38,050,111	52,865,753	138.94	37,103,991	38,312,893	103.26
DARK AIR-CURED						
One Sucker						
Auction:						
Producers'	5,411,028	6,247,039	115.45	7,682,876	6,921,103	90.08
Resales	251,442	281,027	111.77	300,210	270,279	90.03
Gross Auction	5,662,470	6,528,066	115.29	7,983,086	7,191,382	90.08
Country Sales:	5,043,723	5,864,636	116.28	1,720,016	1,624,055	94.42
Total Producers'	10,454,751	12,111,675	115.85	9,402,892	8,545,158	90.88
Green River						
Auction:						
Producers'	4,620,796	5,482,148	118.64	4,678,362	4,129,823	88.27
Resales	349,802	417,524	119.36	32,494	30,183	92.89
Gross Auction 3/	4,970,598	5,899,672	118.69	4,710,856	4,160,006	88.31
Virginia Sun-cured						
Auction:						
Producers'	754,474	789,318	104.62	668,063	570,921	85.46
Resales	3,744	1,462	39.05	6,012	4,293	71.41
Gross Auction 2/	758,218	790,780	104.29	674,075	575,214	85.33
Total Dark Air-cured						
Auction:						
Producers'	10,786,298	12,518,505	116.06	13,029,301	11,621,847	89.20
Resales	604,988	700,013	115.71	338,716	304,755	89.97
Gross Auction 3/	11,391,286	13,218,518	116.04	13,368,017	11,926,602	89.22
Country Sales:	4/ 5,059,285	5,883,183	116.28	1,720,016	1,624,055	94.42
Total Producers'	15,845,583	18,401,688	116.13	14,749,317	13,245,902	89.81

1/ Includes Type 21 sold in other type areas.

2/ Includes Type 37 sold in Type 21 and other type areas.

3/ Does not include country sales - 15,562 pounds, \$18,547 averaging \$119.18.

4/ Includes 15,562 pounds, \$18,547 averaging \$119.18 of Green River tobacco.

Table 5 - Producers' sales, value and average price by markets of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

MARKET AND STATE	1 9 7 6 C R O P			1 9 7 5 C R O P		
	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)
TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED						
Auction Sales Virginia:						
Blackstone	1,424,618	1,644,214	115.41	1,042,540	922,230	88.46
Farmville	1,779,450	2,158,813	121.32	1,662,104	1,554,219	93.51
Lynchburg	2,046,547	2,370,045	115.81	2,049,495	1,943,698	94.84
Total	5,250,615	6,173,072	117.57	4,754,139	4,420,147	92.97
Flue-cured Mkts.	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Type 21	5,250,615	6,173,072	117.57	4,754,139	4,420,147	92.97
TYPES 22 & 23 -- KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED						
Auction Sales Tennessee:						
Clarksville	1,345,025	1,874,950	139.40	5,918,286	6,298,598	106.43
Springfield	1,129,682	1,628,752	144.18	5,128,712	5,515,269	107.54
Total Tennessee	2,474,707	3,503,702	141.58	11,046,998	11,813,867	106.94
Kentucky:						
Hopkinsville	1,445,734	1,992,458	137.82	6,444,174	6,793,225	105.42
Mayfield	750,379	972,122	129.55	2,250,766	2,159,208	95.93
Murray	322,714	427,135	132.36	2,573,156	2,537,857	98.63
Total Kentucky	2,518,827	3,391,715	134.65	11,268,096	11,490,290	101.97
Total Auction	4,993,534	6,895,417	138.09	22,315,094	23,304,157	104.43
Country Sales	27,805,962	39,797,264	143.12	10,034,758	10,588,589	105.52
Total Types 22 & 23	32,799,496	46,692,681	142.36	32,349,852	33,892,746	104.77
TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER						
Auction Sales Kentucky						
Franklin	1,481,970	1,720,549	116.10	2,060,064	1,838,804	89.26
Mayfield	621,870	661,875	106.43	697,160	571,378	81.96
Murray	152,872	172,008	112.52	131,238	110,082	83.88
Russellville	2,453,564	2,870,414	116.99	3,445,130	3,158,144	91.67
Total Kentucky	4,710,276	5,424,846	115.17	1/ 6,361,298	5,698,300	89.58
Tennessee:						
Springfield	700,752	822,193	117.33	1,321,578	1,222,803	92.53
Total Auction	5,411,028	6,247,039	115.45	7,682,876	6,921,103	90.08
Country Sales	5,043,723	5,864,636	116.28	1,720,016	1,624,055	94.42
Total Type 35	10,454,751	12,111,675	115.85	9,402,892	8,545,158	90.88
TYPE 36 -- GREEN RIVER						
Auction Sales Kentucky:						
Henderson	351,382	412,662	117.43	338,712	294,275	86.88
Madisonville	862,212	1,018,937	118.18	935,554	843,835	90.20
Owensboro	3,407,202	4,050,549	118.88	3,404,096	2,991,713	87.89
Total Type 36	2/ 4,620,796	5,482,148	118.64	4,678,362	4,129,823	88.27
TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED						
Auction Sales Virginia:						
Richmond	701,162	736,832	105.09	627,661	537,540	85.64
Fire-cured Mkts.	52,396	52,211	99.65	40,402	33,381	82.62
Flue-cured Mkts.	916	275	30.02	--	--	--
Total Type 37	754,474	789,318	104.62	668,063	570,921	85.46

1/ Includes special sale at Bowling Green, KY - 27,706 pounds, \$19,892 average \$71.80.

2/ Does not include country sales - 15,562 pounds, \$18,547 averaging \$119.18 of Green River tobacco.

Table 6 - Gross sales, value and average price by markets of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

MARKET AND STATE	1 9 7 6 C R O P			1 9 7 5 C R O P		
	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)	SALES (Pounds)	VALUE (Dollars)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)
TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED						
Virginia:						
Blackstone	1,446,706	1,661,224	114.83	1,049,436	924,943	88.14
Farmville	1,821,844	2,203,798	120.97	1,676,298	1,561,887	93.17
Lynchburg	2,090,033	2,412,770	115.44	2,074,973	1,957,999	94.36
Total	5,358,583	6,277,792	117.15	4,800,707	4,444,829	92.59
Flue-cured Mkts.				--	--	--
Total Type 21	5,358,583	6,277,792	117.15	4,800,707	4,444,829	92.59
TYPE 22 & 23 -- KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED						
Tennessee:						
Clarksville	1,375,577	1,916,980	139.36	6,081,894	6,470,649	106.39
Springfield	1,175,944	1,692,255	143.91	5,214,666	5,604,106	107.47
Total Tennessee	2,551,521	3,609,235	141.45	11,296,560	12,074,755	106.89
Kentucky:						
Hopkinsville	1,478,376	2,035,565	137.69	6,615,552	6,959,704	105.20
Mayfield	758,873	983,557	129.61	2,304,990	2,214,554	96.08
Murray	322,714	427,135	132.36	2,613,142	2,579,991	98.73
Total Kentucky	2,559,963	3,446,257	134.62	11,533,684	11,754,249	101.91
Total Types 22 & 23	5,111,484	7,055,492	138.03	22,830,244	23,829,004	104.37
TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER						
Kentucky:						
Franklin	1,505,356	1,740,352	115.61	2,123,880	1,898,544	89.39
Mayfield	633,536	672,459	106.14	700,546	574,543	82.01
Murray	152,872	172,008	112.52	132,236	111,120	84.03
Russellville	2,641,668	3,090,821	117.00	3,629,686	3,320,968	91.49
Total Kentucky	4,933,432	5,675,640	115.04	1/6,614,054	5,925,067	89.58
Tennessee:						
Springfield	729,038	852,426	116.92	1,369,032	1,266,315	92.50
Total Type 35	5,662,470	6,528,066	115.29	7,983,086	7,191,382	90.08
TYPE 36 -- GREEN RIVER						
Kentucky:						
Henderson	355,340	417,086	117.38	340,686	296,142	86.93
Madisonville	864,040	1,021,131	118.18	935,554	843,835	90.20
Owensboro	3,751,218	4,461,455	118.93	3,434,616	3,020,029	87.93
Total Type 36	4,970,598	5,899,672	118.69	4,710,856	4,160,006	88.31
TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED						
Virginia:						
Richmond	704,396	737,996	104.77	633,037	541,464	85.53
Fire-cured Mkts.	52,906	52,509	99.25	41,038	33,750	82.24
Flue-cured Mkts.	916	275	30.02	--	--	--
Total Type 37	758,218	790,780	104.29	674,075	575,214	85.33

1/ Includes special sale at Bowling Green, KY - 27,706 pounds, \$19,892, Avg. \$71.80.

Table 7 Resales, average price and percentage of gross sales by markets of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

MARKET AND STATE	1976 CROP			1975 CROP		
	RESALES (Pounds)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)	PERCENT OF GROSS (Percent)	RESALES (Pounds)	AVERAGE PRICE (Dollars)	PERCENT OF GROSS (Percent)
TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED						
Virginia:						
Blackstone	22,088	77.01	1.6	6,896	39.34	.7
Farmville	42,394	106.11	2.4	14,194	54.02	.8
Lynchburg	43,486	98.25	2.1	25,478	56.13	1.2
Total	107,968	96.99	2.1	46,568	53.00	1.0
Flue-cured Markets	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Type 21	107,968	96.99	2.1	46,568	53.00	1.0
TYPES 22 & 23 -- KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED						
Tennessee:						
Clarksville	30,552	137.57	2.2	163,608	105.16	2.7
Springfield	46,262	137.27	3.9	85,954	103.35	1.6
Total Tennessee	76,814	137.39	3.0	249,562	104.54	2.2
Kentucky:						
Hopkinsville	32,642	132.06	2.2	171,378	97.14	2.6
Mayfield	8,494	134.62	1.1	54,224	102.07	2.4
Murray	--	--	--	39,986	105.37	1.5
Total Kentucky	41,136	132.59	1.6	265,588	99.39	2.3
Total Types 22 & 23	117,950	135.71	2.3	515,150	101.88	2.3
TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER						
Kentucky:						
Franklin	23,386	84.68	1.6	63,816	93.61	3.0
Mayfield	11,666	90.73	1.8	3,386	93.47	.5
Murray	--	--	--	998	104.01	.8
Russellville	188,104	117.17	7.1	184,556	88.28	5.1
Total Kentucky	223,156	112.39	4.5	252,756	89.71	3.8
Tennessee:						
Springfield	28,286	106.88	3.9	47,454	91.69	3.5
Total Type 35	251,442	111.77	4.4	300,210	90.03	3.8
TYPE 36 -- GREEN RIVER						
Kentucky:						
Henderson	3,958	111.77	1.1	1,974	94.58	.6
Madisonville	1,828	120.02	.2	--	--	--
Owensboro	344,016	119.44	9.2	30,520	92.78	.9
Total Type 36	349,802	119.36	7.0	32,494	92.89	.7
TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED						
Virginia:						
Richmond	3,234	35.99	.5	5,376	72.99	.8
Fire-cured Markets	510	58.43	1.0	636	58.01	1.6
Flue-cured Markets	--	--	--	--	--	--
Total Type 37	3,744	39.05	.5	6,012	71.41	.9

Table 8 - Auction sales warehouse charges on fire-cured and dark air-cured markets.

TYPE, MARKET AND STATE	Auction Fee	Commission on Gross Sales	TYPE, MARKET AND STATE	Auction Fee	Commission on Gross Sales
	Per cwt.	Percent		Per cwt.	Percent
Type 21			Type 35		
Blackstone, VA	75¢	3.00	Franklin, KY	50¢	4.50
Farmville, VA	75¢	3.00	Mayfield, KY	70¢	5.25
Lynchburg, VA	75¢	3.00	Murray, KY	70¢	5.25
Type 22			Russellville, KY	50¢	4.50
Clarksville, TN	50¢	5.00	Springfield, TN	50¢	5.00
Springfield, TN	50¢	5.00	Type 36		
Hopkinsville, KY	50¢	5.00	Henderson, KY	\$1.00	5.00
Type 23			Madisonville, KY	\$1.00	5.00
Mayfield, KY	70¢	5.25	Owensboro, KY	\$1.00	5.00
Murray, KY	70¢	5.25	Type 37		
			Richmond, VA	75¢	4.00

Table 9 - Average weight per basket of fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco.

Crop	F I R E - C U R E D			D A R K A I R - C U R E D		
	Type 21 Virginia	Type 22 Eastern District (Pounds)	Type 23 Western District	Type 35 One Sucker	Type 36 Green River (Pounds)	Type 37 Virginia Sun-cured
1968	147	378	381	281	226	152
1969	147	387	395	302	223	143
1970	152	377	377	283	225	144
1971	145	379	376	274	234	136
1972	142	393	382	287	248	135
1973	155	405	417	266	232	148
1974	152	396		274	262	157
1975	141	413		288	244	133
1976	154	378		260	268	143
1977						
1978						
1979						
1980						
1981						
1982						
1983						
1984						
1985						

Table 10 - Applicable loan level per pound of burley, fire-cured, dark air-cured and sun-cured tobacco.

Crop	LOAN LEVEL				Crop	LOAN LEVEL			
	Burley 31	Fire-cured 21 - 23	Dark Air-cured 35 - 36	Sun-cured 37		Burley 31	Fire-cured 21 - 23	Dark Air-cured 35 - 36	Sun-cured 37
----- cents -----									
1968	63.5	43.1	38.3	38.3	1977	117.3	79.5	70.7	70.7
1969	65.8	44.6	39.7	39.7	1978				
1970	68.6	46.6	41.4	41.4	1979				
1971	71.5	48.5	43.1	43.1	1980				
1972	74.9	50.8	45.2	45.2	1981				
1973	78.9	53.5	47.6	47.6	1982				
1974	85.8	58.2	51.8	51.8	1983				
1975	96.1	65.2	58.0	58.0	1984				
1976	109.3	74.1	65.9	65.9	1985				

Table 11 - Fire-cured and dark air-cured tobacco received under Government loan program and percentage of net sales.

Table 12 - Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types in the fire-cured area, volume of sales by grades and schedule of loan rates - 1976 crop. 1/

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Dollars)		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Dollars)		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Dollars)		
TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED													
Wrappers:				Heavy Leaf (Cont'd)				Thin Leaf (Cont'd)					
A1F 47	--	97	--	B5M 47	--	62	--	C3D 44	--	65	--		
46	151	97	290	46	--	62	--	C4D 47	--	63	--		
45	--	97	--	45	--	64	190	46	--	63	--		
A2F 47	--	94	--	44	112	62	4,392	45	127	64	1,178		
46	152	94	1,232	43	100	59	4,916	44	114	63	1,914		
45	147	94	7,494	B3G 47	--	73	--	C5D 47	--	57	--		
A1D 47	--	97	--	46	125	73	706	46	--	57	--		
46	--	97	82	45	121	75	6,146	45	108	58	1,574		
45	--	97	--	44	121	73	5,330	44	98	56	898		
A2D 47	--	94	--	43	114	69	388	C3M 47	--	74	--		
46	--	94	100	B4G 47	--	71	--	46	128	74	2,258		
45	139	94	1,618	46	119	71	90,830	45	128	75	9,088		
Heavy Leaf:				45	121	74	13,730	44	122	74	4,362		
B1F 47	--	95	--	44	118	72	33,884	C4M 47	--	72	--		
46	149	95	4,130	43	113	68	17,722	46	116	72	2,796		
45	147	96	2,068	B5G 47	--	62	--	45	120	74	55,502		
B2F 47	--	92	216	46	118	62	754	44	118	73	89,991		
46	140	92	16,678	45	107	64	3,982	C5M 47	--	61	--		
45	142	93	62,576	44	101	62	11,200	46	93	61	738		
44	137	88	7,598	43	103	59	13,562	45	104	62	16,962		
B3F 47	--	86	220					44	100	61	14,658		
46	136	86	13,616	Thin Leaf:				C3G 47	--	64	--		
45	135	87	215,277	C1L 47	--	101	--	46	112	64	506		
44	132	85	108,346	46	152	101	11,960	45	118	65	5,602		
43	127	76	4,440	45	146	101	5,178	44	116	61	9,046		
B4F 47	--	80	--	C2L 47	--	97	--	C4G 47	--	59	--		
46	130	80	2,564	46	142	97	21,438	46	120	59	3,528		
45	128	81	61,868	45	140	97	32,992	45	117	61	25,448		
44	127	78	112,804	44	138	89	1,500	44	115	60	58,220		
43	119	71	19,078	C3L 47	--	88	--	C5G 47	--	58	300		
B5F 47	--	68	--	46	136	88	30,902	46	110	58	738		
46	127	68	792	45	135	88	173,086	45	105	59	9,728		
45	118	70	1,656	44	132	86	37,385	44	104	57	20,544		
44	127	68	2,500	C4L 47	--	80	--	Lugs:					
43	--	63	166	46	124	80	14,385	X1L	129	81	3,860		
B1D 47	--	94	--	45	127	80	163,864	X2L	130	80	7,850		
46	154	94	735	44	125	79	107,082	X3L	120	79	49,646		
45	--	94	350	C5L 47	--	70	--	X4L	112	76	119,492		
B2D 47	--	88	--	46	109	70	976	X5L	103	72	64,798		
46	145	88	2,156	45	113	71	24,624	X1F	135	81	3,482		
45	136	89	4,592	44	109	68	7,172	X2F	128	80	12,212		
44	125	84	1,582	C1F 47	--	101	--	X3F	124	79	67,730		
B3D 47	128	80	906	46	155	101	18,478	X4F	117	75	148,324		
46	--	80	340	45	147	101	5,612	X5F	107	72	47,944		
45	133	80	16,068	C2F 47	146	97	766	X1D	--	77	--		
44	132	79	12,520	46	143	97	22,674	X2D	--	75	90		
43	125	74	430	45	141	97	50,650	X3D	125	74	390		
B4D 47	--	75	--	44	138	89	4,198	X4D	109	71	4,940		
46	--	75	--	C3F 47	--	88	338	X5D	98	65	9,920		
45	130	76	7,718	46	136	88	36,382	X1F	111	71	17,634		
44	122	75	10,020	45	136	88	315,782	X2F	111	71	2,314		
43	116	70	1,504	44	133	82	98,316	X3M	45	110	69	233,898	
B5D 47	--	65	--	C4F 47	--	81	110	X4M	106	69	5,614		
46	--	65	--	46	129	81	17,499	X5M	45	102	189,593		
45	--	66	86	45	129	81	195,673	X1G	99	64	1,928		
44	101	65	940	44	127	80	111,130	X2G	105	63	942		
43	101	62	492	C5F 47	--	71	--	X3G	109	71	11,932		
B3M 47	--	75	--	46	115	72	1,266	X4G	122	68	163,862		
46	--	75	288	45	121	73	23,054	X5G	101	62	6,206		
45	132	77	4,042	44	118	70	9,224	Nondescript:	96	61	4,306		
44	129	73	5,110	C2D 47	--	68	--	N1L	78	55	58,678		
43	--	71	48	46	--	68	--	N1D	80	52	14,264		
B4M 47	--	72	--	45	--	69	--	N1G	84	56	136,184		
46	--	72	114	44	--	67	--	N2	55	36	79,762		
45	119	75	9,406	C3D 47	--	66	--						
44	120	72	32,348	46	--	66	--						
43	110	69	9,286	45	--	67	490						

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Table 12 (cont'd) - Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types in the fire-cured area, volume of sales by grades and schedule of loan rates - 1976 crop. 1/

Group and Grade	1976 CROP			Group and Grade	1976 CROP			Group and Grade	1976 CROP		
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/
	(Dollars)		(Pounds)		(Dollars)		(Pounds)		(Dollars)		(Pounds)
TYPES 22 and 23 KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED											
Wrappers:				Heavy Leaf (cont'd)				Thin Leaf (cont'd)			
A1F 47	--	107	--	B2D 47	--	87	--	C3L 44	--	82	--
46	169	107	28,089	46	--	87	--	43	--	76	--
45	--	107	--	45	--	87	1,987	C4L 47	--	82	--
A2F 47	--	102	--	44	--	83	--	46	151	82	1,798
46	164	102	31,221	B3D 47	--	84	--	45	150	82	2,056
45	--	102	--	46	150	84	7,885	44	--	79	--
A3F 47	--	94	--	45	--	84	--	43	--	73	--
46	159	94	8,594	44	--	80	2,351	C5L 47	--	79	--
45	--	94	--	43	--	74	--	46	--	79	189
A1D 47	--	107	--	B4D 47	--	76	--	45	--	79	92
46	--	107	--	46	150	76	8,516	44	--	77	--
45	--	107	--	45	150	76	1,230	43	--	70	--
A2D 47	--	102	--	44	150	73	1,590	C1F 47	--	91	--
46	--	102	--	43	--	66	--	46	--	91	2,819
45	--	102	--	B5D 47	--	71	--	45	--	87	--
A3D 47	--	94	--	46	--	71	184	C2F 47	--	88	--
46	151	94	1,879	45	--	71	--	46	155	88	30,842
45	--	94	--	44	--	67	--	45	153	88	2,973
Heavy Leaf:				43	--	61	--	44	--	85	--
B1F 47	--	92	--	B3M 47	--	76	--	47	--	85	--
46	--	92	741	46	151	76	6,219	C3F 47	--	85	--
45	157	92	1,327	45	150	76	5,557	46	152	85	99,595
44	--	87	--	44	--	72	583	45	150	85	27,423
B2F 47	--	88	--	43	--	67	--	44	--	82	2,122
46	156	88	38,083	B4M 47	--	71	--	43	--	75	--
45	156	88	1,251	46	149	71	24,656	C4F 47	--	80	--
44	--	84	--	45	147	71	24,006	46	150	80	185,780
B3F 47	151	84	2,919	44	146	67	12,558	45	149	80	93,400
46	152	84	89,276	43	--	60	--	44	148	77	11,065
45	151	84	22,317	B5M 47	--	66	--	43	--	70	458
44	150	81	1,095	46	--	66	--	C5F 47	--	78	--
43	--	75	--	45	148	66	9,324	46	148	78	21,822
B4F 47	--	77	--	44	--	61	--	45	148	78	49,231
46	150	77	61,672	43	--	56	--	44	149	74	1,961
45	150	77	24,241	B3G 47	--	76	--	43	--	67	--
44	--	74	478	46	150	76	5,860	C3VF 47	--	77	--
43	--	67	--	45	150	76	4,838	46	151	77	57,523
B5F 47	--	73	--	44	150	72	2,477	45	150	77	32,138
46	150	73	2,728	43	--	64	--	44	149	74	2,052
45	150	73	5,859	B4G 47	150	71	1,574	43	--	68	--
44	--	70	--	46	149	71	27,399	C4VF 47	--	74	845
43	--	64	--	45	149	71	31,055	46	149	74	184,259
B3VF 47	--	76	--	44	145	67	12,388	45	149	74	232,265
46	150	76	37,393	43	--	59	--	44	149	72	7,994
45	150	76	40,117	B5G 47	--	66	--	43	--	66	--
44	150	72	6,188	46	--	66	1,704	C5VF 47	--	72	41,281
43	--	65	--	45	146	66	5,784	46	148	72	55,217
B4VF 47	--	74	1,067	44	148	61	4,061	45	148	72	1,990
46	150	74	57,711	43	--	56	--	44	--	70	--
45	149	74	46,802	Thin Leaf:				43	--	61	--
44	149	71	3,763	C1L 47	--	93	--	C1D 47	--	94	--
43	--	64	--	46	--	93	--	46	--	94	--
B5VF 47	--	70	--	45	--	93	--	45	--	94	--
46	147	70	2,996	44	--	89	--	44	--	89	--
45	145	70	3,409	C2L 47	--	90	--	C2D 47	--	84	--
44	--	67	818	46	--	90	1,156	46	155	84	2,428
43	--	60	--	45	--	90	--	45	--	84	--
B1D 47	--	91	--	44	--	87	--	44	--	81	--
46	--	91	--	C3L 47	--	86	--	C3D 47	--	79	--
45	--	91	--	46	--	86	1,175	46	152	79	29,734
44	--	86	--	45	--	86	1,475	45	150	79	7,975

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Table 12 (cont'd) - Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types in the fire-cured area, volume of sales by grades and schedule of loan rates - 1976 crop. 1/

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/	
	(Dollars)	(Pounds)			(Dollars)	(Pounds)			(Dollars)	(Pounds)		
KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED (Cont'd)												
C3D 44	--	76	396	C5M 45	139	70	70,345	X1F	--	78		883
43	--	70	--	45	134	68	29,791	X2F	150	76		6,076
C4D 47	--	72	--	43	--	59	646	X3F	150	74		9,944
46	150	72	15,675	C3G 47	--	72	--	X4F	146	70		26,200
45	147	72	29,797	46	150	72	8,976	X5F	141	68		6,924
44	149	70	3,770	45	147	72	2,704	X3VF	147	70		70,554
43	--	64	1,434	44	--	69	1,741	X4VF	144	67		159,814
C5D 47	--	69	--	43	--	64	--	X5VF	135	63		82,783
46	150	69	4,658	C4G 47	--	68	431	X1D	--	76		--
45	145	69	10,888	46	146	68	71,137	X2D	--	73		1,511
44	--	67	1,736	45	145	68	106,848	X3D	--	69		462
43	--	60	--	44	146	64	15,734	X4D	146	67		4,507
C3M 47	--	77	--	43	--	59	386	X5D	143	64		4,889
46	151	77	15,280	C5G 47	--	63	669	X3M	149	68		5,831
45	150	77	5,130	46	137	63	69,091	X4M	137	65		50,684
44	--	74	176	45	138	63	100,710	X5M	124	62		67,643
43	--	68	--	44	134	60	20,068	X3G	147	66		5,973
C4M 47	--	72	--	43	--	57	802	X4G	136	60		292,493
46	149	72	47,921	Lugs:				X5G	124	57		435,211
45	147	72	126,761	X1L	--	79	--	Nondescript:				
44	145	71	33,024	X2L	--	77	184	N1L	117	60		12,129
43	--	65	597	X3L	--	75	619	N1D	129	54		15,545
C5M 47	--	70	--	X4L	147	70	1,888	N1G	108	52		286,866
46	146	70	7,303	X5L	141	68	4,420	N2	81	46		109,039

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1/ Averages based on auction sales, including Association deliveries at advance.

2/ Data on pounds show only the approximate quantity of tobacco contained in each grade and are not an accurate record of sales.

Table 12 (cont'd) - Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types in the dark air-cured area, volume of sales by grades and schedule of loan rates - 1976 crop. 1/

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Dollars)		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)		(Dollars)	(Pounds)			
TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER													
Wrappers:				Heavy Leaf (cont'd)	B4M 44	120	67	6,262	Thin Leaf (cont'd)	C4M 45	119	65	96,013
A1F 46	--	95	--	B5M 46	--	61	367		C5M 46	44	119	64	26,760
45	--	95	--	45	120	61	7,106		C5M 46	120	60	3,952	
A2F 46	119	91	9,040	44	120	60	2,472		45	119	60	20,383	
45	--	91	--	B3G 46	119	72	4,596		44	119	59	7,809	
A3F 46	--	85	--	45	114	72	1,469		C3G 46	--	74	--	
45	--	85	--	B4G 46	120	68	--		45	120	74	2,588	
A1R 46	--	95	521	44	--	71			44	--	72	845	
45	--	95	--	B4G 46	120	68	12,061		C4G 46	118	66	11,131	
A2R 46	118	91	--	45	120	68	8,466		45	119	66	29,098	
45	--	91	--	44	111	67	5,392		44	120	65	5,998	
A3R 46	--	85	--	B5G 46	118	61	11,802		C5G 46	115	59	18,586	
45	--	85	--	45	118	61	4,259		45	118	59		
Heavy Leaf:				44	118	60	3,326		45	118	59	16,377	
B1F 46	122	88	13,258	Thin Leaf:	C1L 46	--	88	--	44	119	58	4,916	
45	--	88	1,971	C1L 46	--	88	--						
44	--	85	--	45	--	88	--	Tips:					
B2F 46	120	83	102,321	C2L 46	121	86	14,490	T3F	--	66			
45	120	83	10,049	44	--	87	--	T4F	120	61	3,974		
44	--	82	--	45	--	86	--	T5F	--	52	--		
B3F 46	120	79	301,045	C3L 46	120	82	9,082	T3R	120	66	2,197		
45	120	79	115,408	44	--	85	--	T4R	118	61	6,002		
44	120	77	3,287	45	118	82	4,541	T3D	--	66	--		
B4F 46	121	73	149,852	C4L 46	119	75	11,997	T4D	--	61	1,139		
45	120	73	136,277	44	--	81	--	T5D	--	53	--		
44	120	72	4,736	45	119	75	5,356	T3M	--	64	--		
B5F 46	119	67	4,946	44	--	74	460	T4M	117	58	6,495		
45	120	67	9,831	C5L 46	--	65	--	T5M	116	51	3,078		
44	120	66	4,328	45	--	65	1,277	T3G	--	64	--		
B1R 46	119	87	2,761	44	--	63	842	T4G	119	59	907		
45	--	87	287	C1F 46	--	88	--	T5G	117	51	5,853		
44	--	85	--	45	--	88	--	Lugs:					
B2R 46	119	82	27,659	44	--	87	--	X1L	--	79	--		
45	120	82	2,742	C2F 46	120	84	114,301	X2L	120	77	1,154		
44	--	81	1,064	45	118	84	5,379	X3L	119	75	6,168		
B3R 46	120	77	76,937	44	--	83	--	X4L	118	73	4,164		
45	119	77	45,151	C3F 46	120	80	322,574	X5L	118	66	10,044		
44	120	76	2,795	45	120	80	138,754	X1F	120	79	9,722		
B4R 46	120	72	78,462	44	119	78	11,066	X2F	120	77	52,485		
45	119	72	58,718	C4F 46	120	75	195,274	X3F	120	73	174,578		
44	119	71	12,134	45	120	75	213,610	X4F	119	72	100,215		
B5R 46	120	67	4,158	44	120	74	13,851	X5F	120	66	31,626		
45	119	67	8,179	C5F 46	120	66	5,265	X1R	--	79	2,110		
44	118	66	3,205	45	120	66	17,594	X2R	119	76	17,942		
B1D 46	--	87	--	44	119	64	1,175	X3R	118	70	75,049		
45	--	87	--	C1R 46	123	86	5,145	X4R	118	65	60,983		
44	--	85	--	45	--	86	--	X5R	116	60	41,589		
B2D 46	--	82	--	44	--	85	--	X3D	--	71	--		
45	--	82	--	C2R 46	120	83	25,352	X4D	114	65	1,488		
44	--	81	--	45	--	83	1,570	X5D	--	60	--		
B3D 46	--	77	--	44	--	82	--	X3M	119	68	82,279		
45	--	77	--	C3R 46	119	77	108,790	X4M	118	64	138,857		
44	--	76	--	45	119	77	51,473	X5M	116	58	163,986		
B4D 46	--	72	738	44	--	75	1,721	X3G	119	66	35,335		
45	--	72	256	C4R 46	119	69	81,717	X4G	118	61	227,811		
44	120	71	2,682	45	119	69	118,323	X5G	115	52	314,944		
B5D 46	--	64	--	44	119	68	15,908	Nondescript:					
45	--	64	--	C5R 46	120	61	11,064	N1L	114	59	19,676		
44	--	63	378	45	119	61	25,054	N2L	111	51	11,555		
B3M 46	120	73	10,584	44	119	60	4,807	N1R	114	51	19,024		
45	119	73	18,582	C3M 46	120	73	16,707	N2R	102	47	8,153		
44	--	72	--	45	119	73	19,168	N1G	111	48	267,437		
B4M 46	120	68	36,511	44	--	72	--	N2G	103	45	175,620		
45	119	68	42,989	C4M 46	120	65	40,064						

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Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P			1 9 7 6 C R O P			1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)	Group and Grade	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)	Group and Grade	Season Average		
	(Dollars)			(Dollars)			(Pounds)	(Dollars)			
TYPE 36 --- GREEN RIVER											
Wrappers:				Heavy Leaf	(cont'd)			Thin Leaf	(cont'd)		
A1F 46	--	95	--	B4M 44	120	67	7,068	C4M 45	120	65	178,881
45	--	95	--	B5M 46	120	61	2,555	44	119	64	60,046
A2F 46	--	91	--	45	120	61	12,161	C5M 46	118	60	17,704
45	--	91	--	44	120	60	2,013	45	119	60	45,594
A3F 46	--	85	--	B3G 46	121	72	6,289	44	118	59	24,351
45	--	85	--	45	120	72	7,686	C3G 46	120	74	11,287
A1R 46	--	95	--	44	--	71	671	45	120	74	5,565
45	--	95	--	B4G 46	119	68	14,464	44	--	72	565
A2R 46	--	91	--	45	120	68	21,569	C4G 46	119	66	60,235
45	--	91	--	44	--	67	433	45	119	66	77,240
A3R 46	--	85	--	B5G 46	120	61	3,434	44	119	65	25,529
45	--	85	--	45	118	61	4,695	C5G 46	119	59	25,907
				44	--	60	897	45	118	59	49,163
								44	119	58	16,526
Heavy Leaf:				Thin Leaf:				Tips:			
B1F 46	--	88	--	C1L 46	--	88	--	T3F	120	66	2,383
45	--	88	--	45	--	88	--	T4F	120	61	2,223
44	--	85	--	44	--	87	--	T5F	--	52	286
B2F 46	120	83	12,626	C2L 46	--	86	1,083	T3R	117	66	1,897
45	120	83	2,058	45	--	86	--	T4R	119	61	11,143
44	--	82	--	44	--	85	--	T5R	--	53	479
B3F 46	120	79	41,679	C3L 46	120	82	11,864	T3D	--	66	221
45	119	79	23,386	45	120	82	4,195	T4D	120	61	646
44	120	77	3,710	44	--	81	--	T5D	--	53	--
B4F 46	118	73	31,588	C4L 46	120	75	11,000	T3M	119	64	2,114
45	119	73	24,180	45	--	75	744	T4M	119	58	17,304
44	120	72	7,446	44	--	74	596	T5M	117	51	8,373
B5F 46	--	67	568	C5L 46	--	65	--	T3G	--	64	380
45	--	67	--	45	--	65	--	T4G	118	59	8,378
44	--	66	125	45	--	63	--	T5G	117	51	6,083
B1R 46	--	87	--	C1F 46	120	88	5,688				
45	--	87	--	45	--	88	--				
44	--	85	--	45	--	88	--				
B2R 46	--	82	1,713	44	--	87	--				
45	--	82	459	C2F 46	120	84	29,784				
44	--	81	--	45	120	84	8,663	X1L	--	79	--
B3R 46	120	77	35,782	44	--	83	--	X2L	--	77	757
45	119	77	26,631	C3F 46	120	80	269,174	X3L	120	75	6,514
44	120	76	1,266	45	120	80	114,297	X4L	--	73	309
B4R 46	119	72	19,087	44	120	78	9,009	X5L	119	66	2,113
45	119	72	31,865	C4F 46	119	75	180,558	X1F	120	79	3,160
44	119	71	11,577	45	120	75	135,241	X2F	120	77	13,595
B5R 46	116	67	3,107	44	120	74	30,153	X3F	119	73	42,905
45	--	67	964	C5F 46	120	66	25,506	X4F	118	72	18,005
44	120	66	1,094	45	120	66	2,674	X5F	118	66	14,212
B1D 46	--	87	--	44	--	64	23	X1R	--	79	--
45	--	87	--	C1R 46	--	86	--	X2R	117	76	4,241
44	--	85	--	45	--	86	--	X3R	119	70	44,948
B2D 46	--	82	--	44	--	85	--	X4R	118	65	32,004
45	--	82	--	C2R 46	120	83	3,957	X5R	118	60	14,883
44	--	81	--	45	120	83	1,619	X3D	--	71	--
B3D 46	--	77	1,680	44	--	82	--	X4D	--	65	125
45	--	77	282	C3R 46	120	77	150,409	X5D	--	60	--
44	--	76	95	45	120	77	103,327	X3M	119	68	82,246
B4D 46	--	72	--	44	117	75	12,436	X4M	118	64	140,774
45	--	72	634	C4R 46	120	69	148,187	X5M	117	58	172,432
44	--	71	--	45	119	69	179,777	X3G	120	66	25,884
B5D 46	--	64	--	44	120	68	37,635	X4G	119	61	160,842
45	--	64	--	C5R 46	120	61	10,203	X5G	116	52	286,223
44	--	63	--	45	119	61	8,834	Nondescript:			
B3M 46	120	73	8,469	44	119	60	5,798	NIL	114	59	3,804
45	120	73	7,950	C3M 46	120	73	96,800	N2L	117	51	12,373
44	--	72	436	45	120	73	25,792	NIR	111	51	10,221
B4M 46	120	68	27,188	44	119	72	1,889	N2R	--	47	404
45	119	68	26,395	C4M 46	119	65	132,388	N1G	114	48	292,010
								N2G	112	45	144,678

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Table 12 (cont'd) - Season average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by types in the dark air-cured area, volume of sales by grades and schedule of loan rates - 1976 crop. 1/

Group and Grade	1976 CROP			Group and Grade	1976 CROP			Group and Grade	1976 CROP		
	Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)		Season Average	Loan Rate	Sales 2/ (Pounds)
	(Dollars)				(Dollars)				(Dollars)		
TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED											
Wrappers:											
A1F 46	--	91	--	B3M 45	--	72	--	C3M 44	110	67	365
45	118	91	424	44	--	69	--	C4M 46	--	59	--
44	--	89	--	B4M 46	--	65	--	45	107	63	2,508
A2F 46	--	87	--	45	112	68	644	44	107	60	10,769
45	118	87	1,432	44	110	65	5,360	C5M 46	--	54	--
44	--	84	--	B5M 46	--	58	--	45	114	58	516
A3F 46	--	84	--	45	--	60	--	44	104	56	502
45	--	84	--	44	105	59	1,190	C3G 46	--	56	--
44	--	81	--	B3G 46	--	69	--	45	--	58	--
A1R 46	--	91	--	45	--	73	--	44	--	56	178
45	--	91	--	44	112	70	2,114	C4G 46	--	53	--
44	--	88	--	B4G 46	--	63	--	45	107	56	3,704
A2R 46	--	87	--	45	111	66	6,762	44	107	55	9,120
45	--	87	--	44	111	62	16,602	C5G 46	--	48	--
44	--	84	--	B5G 46	--	59	--	45	87	50	1,216
A3R 46	--	84	--	45	--	59	252	44	98	48	3,960
45	--	84	--	44	106	57	1,778				
44	--	81	--								
Heavy Leaf				Thin Leaf				Tips:			
B1F 46	--	88	--	C1L 46	--	86	--	T3F	--	61	--
45	122	89	2,050	45	--	87	230	T4F	98	59	810
44	--	82	--	44	--	79	--	T5F	--	53	--
B2F 46	--	85	196	C2L 46	--	80	--	T3R	--	61	--
45	120	87	5,724	45	--	81	--	T4R	--	59	46
44	115	83	778	C3L 46	--	78	--	T5R	--	54	--
B3F 46	--	77	128	45	117	79	4,054	T3D	--	59	--
45	116	80	30,946	44	116	76	2,588	T4D	--	57	--
44	116	78	21,501	C4L 46	--	70	--	T5D	--	51	--
B4F 46	--	71	--	45	115	73	2,208	T3M	--	58	--
45	114	75	25,015	44	114	69	5,493	T4M	104	56	454
44	112	73	55,380	C5L 46	--	61	--	T5M	79	50	310
B5F 46	--	62	--	45	111	63	420	T3G	--	61	--
45	115	62	1,628	44	--	59	406	T4G	101	59	2,934
44	108	62	1,494	C1F 46	--	87	--	T5G	91	53	1,071
B1R 46	--	88	--	45	--	87	--				
45	--	89	--	44	--	80	--	Lugs:			
44	--	83	--	C2F 46	--	81	--	X1L	--	72	--
B2R 46	--	85	--	45	119	82	1,102	X2L	107	71	918
45	--	87	--	44	115	79	834	X3L	109	68	6,888
44	--	83	--	C3F 46	--	79	--	X4L	105	64	10,932
B3R 46	--	77	158	45	118	81	18,067	X5L	102	57	712
45	115	80	1,632	44	116	78	14,374	X2F	113	72	1,734
44	117	78	1,254	C4F 46	--	72	122	X3F	107	69	7,432
B4R 46	--	69	--	45	114	75	27,379	X4F	104	66	19,482
45	111	72	2,610	44	112	72	49,316	X5F	95	57	645
44	114	69	4,179	C5F 46	--	64	--	X1R	--	73	--
B5R 46	--	62	--	45	111	67	1,833	X2R	--	72	--
45	--	63	--	44	110	66	1,346	X3R	--	65	--
44	--	60	--	C1R 46	--	84	--	X4R	104	62	480
B1D 46	--	87	--	45	--	84	--	X5R	101	54	442
45	--	87	--	44	--	78	--	X3D	--	60	--
44	--	82	--	C2R 46	--	78	--	X4D	102	54	516
B2D 46	--	86	--	45	--	78	--	X5D	--	48	--
45	--	86	--	44	--	74	--	X3M	107	69	13,224
44	--	81	--	C3R 46	--	68	--	X4M	100	65	48,930
B3D 46	--	76	--	45	--	69	--	X5M	93	63	9,570
45	--	76	--	44	--	66	--	X3G	101	65	5,372
44	--	75	--	C4R 46	--	63	--	X4G	97	60	96,877
B4D 46	--	66	--	45	--	65	--	X5G	88	56	40,706
45	--	67	--	44	--	62	--				
44	--	66	--	C5R 46	--	56	--	Nondescript			
B5D 46	--	60	--	45	--	57	--	N1L	89	42	766
45	--	62	--	44	103	56	652	N2L	--	35	--
44	--	59	--	C3M 46	--	65	--	N1R	72	44	237
B3M 46	--	70	--	45	--	68	--	N2R	--	36	98

See footnotes on Page 25.

Table 13 - Average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by weeks on representative grades for the Virginia fire-cured markets and season averages. 1/

Group and Grade 2/	TYPE 21 -- VIRGINIA FIRE-CURED					1976 Crop Average (Dollars)	1975 Crop Average (Dollars)	
	Dec. 2 1976	Dec. 16 1976	Jan. 13 1977	Jan. 19 1977	Feb 24 1977			
	----- (Dollars) -----							
Heavy Leaf:								
B2F 46	128	140	--	--	--	140	106	
45	124	143	141	152	149	142	105	
B3F 45	121	139	138	148	138	135	102	
44	118	138	134	143	133	132	103	
B4F 45	117	136	129	138	128	128	99	
44	117	132	130	132	126	127	99	
B3D 45	122	135	142	--	--	133	101	
B4D 44	--	122	130	--	--	122	98	
B4M 44	109	125	122	116	118	120	94	
B4G 45	--	127	125	--	110	121	95	
44	109	126	126	--	112	118	94	
Thin Leaf:								
C1L 46	--	150	--	--	156	152	111	
C2L 45	125	140	141	151	145	140	106	
C3L 46	--	135	137	142	138	136	102	
45	118	137	135	144	140	135	105	
44	118	137	135	--	137	132	103	
C4L 45	114	132	128	131	128	127	103	
44	113	133	125	127	126	125	99	
C5L 45	107	124	105	--	108	113	95	
C2F 46	--	141	144	--	150	143	106	
45	127	142	143	--	150	140	106	
C3F 46	124	137	137	--	139	136	103	
45	120	139	137	143	142	136	104	
44	117	138	134	141	135	133	103	
C4F 45	117	134	129	133	130	129	101	
44	117	133	128	131	127	127	100	
C5F 45	111	127	125	--	--	121	93	
C4M 45	109	126	121	114	116	120	95	
44	109	127	118	114	114	118	95	
C5M 44	103	111	--	--	90	100	86	
C4G 45	115	125	114	--	113	117	92	
44	105	125	115	116	110	115	94	
C5G 44	96	120	107	95	94	104	85	
Lugs:								
X3L	110	130	119	124	119	120	97	
X4L	103	125	108	109	105	112	93	
X5L	94	--	92	92	93	103	87	
X3F	114	131	124	129	123	124	97	
X4F	107	127	116	120	109	117	92	
X5F	98	124	101	98	95	107	85	
X3M	103	125	112	--	109	111	95	
X4M	101	118	101	106	100	106	88	
X5M	92	118	89	96	86	99	81	
X4G	101	128	105	111	100	111	86	
X5G	94	122	95	98	88	101	80	
Nondescript:								
N1L	87	90	73	80	67	78	71	
N1G	88	98	77	79	72	84	70	
N2	70	69	54	49	46	55	53	

1/ Averages based on auction sales, including Association deliveries at advance prices.

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2/ For key to standard grade marks, see brief of classifications on Page 5.

Table 13 (cont'd) - Average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by weeks on representative grades for the Kentucky and Tennessee fire-cured markets and season averages. 1/

Group and Grade 2/	TYPES 22 & 23 -- KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE FIRE-CURED										1976 Crop Average (Dollars)	1975 Crop Average (Dollars)		
	WEEK ENDING:													
	Jan. 26	Feb. 2	Feb. 9	Feb. 16	Feb. 23	Mar. 2	Mar. 9	Mar. 16	Mar. 23					
----- (Dollars) -----														
Wrappers:														
A1F 46	--	--	--	--	173	168	168	--	--	169	118			
A2F 46	--	--	--	--	--	164	164	165	--	164	118			
Heavy Leaf:														
B2F 46	--	--	--	--	154	--	154	158	154	156	112			
B3F 46	154	--	150	--	151	151	152	152	153	152	110			
B4F 46	150	143	150	--	151	150	150	150	153	150	109			
45	149	149	150	--	150	150	151	149	151	150	108			
B4M 46	--	--	--	--	150	150	--	150	148	149	107			
45	--	--	--	--	--	150	149	148	149	147	104			
B3VF 46	--	--	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	110			
45	--	--	149	150	150	150	151	--	150	150	108			
B4VF 46	--	--	150	150	150	150	150	150	--	150	106			
45	150	--	148	--	150	150	149	147	--	149	107			
B4G 46	149	--	150	--	148	150	148	150	146	149	106			
45	--	--	148	--	148	--	149	149	--	149	102			
Thin Leaf:														
C2F 46	--	--	153	--	156	158	154	--	--	155	112			
C3F 46	--	--	150	--	152	153	151	152	155	152	110			
45	--	149	150	--	150	--	150	151	150	150	109			
C4F 46	149	149	150	150	150	150	150	150	151	150	109			
45	148	149	149	--	150	150	150	149	150	149	109			
C5F 46	--	--	--	148	150	150	150	149	--	148	107			
45	--	--	--	150	145	150	149	150	149	148	105			
C3D 46	--	--	151	150	153	150	151	154	--	152	109			
C4D 46	--	--	149	--	150	--	149	--	150	150	107			
45	--	150	149	--	150	150	148	--	--	147	105			
C3M 46	--	--	151	--	150	--	150	--	--	151	108			
C4M 46	146	--	149	150	149	150	149	148	148	149	105			
45	--	145	143	150	147	148	147	147	149	147	106			
44	--	--	138	150	146	148	--	146	149	145	106			
C5M 45	138	--	129	--	138	--	142	--	146	139	100			
44	--	--	--	--	137	130	142	137	127	134	91			
C3VF 46	--	--	150	150	150	153	151	151	150	151	110			
45	--	--	150	150	--	150	--	150	--	150	110			
C4VF 46	147	148	149	149	150	150	150	148	150	149	107			
45	146	148	148	150	149	150	149	149	149	149	106			
C5VF 46	--	--	147	149	147	150	149	148	148	148	103			
45	--	--	--	--	150	150	148	148	147	148	103			
C4G 46	--	--	145	147	148	148	149	142	148	146	105			
45	--	146	145	144	146	148	146	147	145	145	101			
44	--	--	--	--	146	--	148	141	--	146	100			
C5G 46	--	146	140	144	137	142	142	130	130	137	92			
45	--	137	137	147	138	140	135	136	140	138	95			
44	--	--	139	--	137	144	131	129	--	134	83			
Lugs:														
X3F	--	--	149	--	150	150	150	150	--	150	106			
X4F	--	--	140	142	147	147	149	148	143	146	102			
X4M	--	--	135	133	139	142	142	131	147	137	89			
X5M	--	--	--	--	125	120	132	121	131	124	79			
X3VF	--	--	147	149	147	150	142	148	150	147	103			
X4VF	--	--	143	142	144	144	144	145	146	144	98			
X5VF	136	136	138	135	138	135	135	130	139	135	87			
X4G	130	133	135	139	140	136	135	133	136	136	88			
X5G	123	132	124	133	130	127	126	111	118	124	76			
Nondescript:														
N1G	--	119	115	120	119	125	110	96	90	108	69			
N2	--	--	82	--	85	81	84	61	71	81	58			

1/ Averages based on auction sales, including Association deliveries at advance prices.

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2/ For Key to standard grade marks, see brief of classifications on Page 5.

Table 13 (cont'd) - Average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by weeks on representative grades for One Sucker markets and season averages. 1/

Group and Grade 2/	TYPE 35 -- ONE SUCKER								1976 Crop Average (Dollars)	1975 Crop Average (Dollars)		
	WEEK ENDING:											
	Dec. 12	Dec. 16	Jan. 7	Jan. 14	Jan. 21	Jan. 28	Feb. 4	Mar. 23				
(D o l l a r s)												
Heavy Leaf:												
B2F 46	118	--	121	120	--	121	121	--	120	103		
B3F 46	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	103		
45	118	119	121	120	--	121	121	--	120	102		
B4F 46	117	120	121	120	121	121	121	121	121	100		
45	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	98		
B3R 46	118	120	121	120	--	121	121	121	120	102		
45	118	--	120	120	--	--	--	--	119	102		
B4R 46	118	120	--	120	121	--	--	121	120	100		
45	117	119	120	--	121	--	121	--	119	96		
B4M 45	117	120	--	120	121	120	121	121	119	--		
Thin Leaf:												
C2F 46	118	120	121	--	--	121	121	122	120	103		
C3F 46	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	102		
45	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	103		
C4F 46	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	101		
45	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	120	100		
C3R 46	118	120	--	--	--	--	--	121	119	102		
45	118	120	120	--	--	--	--	--	119	100		
C4R 46	118	120	120	120	--	--	--	--	119	97		
45	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	119	96		
C4M 46	118	120	120	--	--	121	--	121	120	97		
45	117	120	120	120	--	121	121	121	119	93		
C4G 45	117	120	119	--	--	121	--	--	119	93		
Lugs:												
X2F	118	118	120	120	121	--	121	--	120	102		
X3F	118	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	119	100		
X4F	116	120	120	120	121	121	121	121	119	92		
X5F	--	118	118	120	--	121	121	121	120	86		
X3R	117	119	120	120	121	--	--	--	118	97		
X4R	116	120	118	120	--	--	121	--	118	87		
X5R	114	118	117	117	121	--	--	--	116	74		
X3M	116	120	120	--	121	121	121	--	119	97		
X4M	115	118	120	120	121	121	121	121	118	86		
X5M	101	117	119	119	121	118	121	121	116	78		
X3G	118	119	120	--	121	--	--	--	119	90		
X4G	114	119	117	119	121	121	117	121	118	77		
X5G	110	115	115	115	121	120	115	120	115	66		
Nondescript:												
N1L	108	110	113	116	--	119	--	--	114	70		
N1G	107	113	108	108	119	116	110	116	111	58		
N2G	100	102	90	108	119	107	99	105	103	54		

1/ Averages based on auction sales including Association deliveries at advance prices.

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2/ For key to standard grade marks, see brief of classifications on Page 6.

Table 13 (cont'd) - Average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by weeks on representative grades for Green River markets and season averages. 1/

Group and Grade 2/	TYPE 36 -- GREEN RIVER							1976 Crop Average (Dollars)	1975 Crop Average (Dollars)		
	WEEK ENDING:										
	Dec. 6	Dec. 13	Dec. 16	Jan. 10	Jan. 24	Jan. 31	Feb. 8				
----- (Dollars) -----											
Heavy Leaf:											
B3F 46	120	120	120	120	120	--	--	120	99		
45	116	120	--	120	--	--	--	119	99		
B3R 46	119	121	--	120	--	120	--	120	99		
B4R 45	115	120	120	120	120	--	--	119	97		
Thin Leaf:											
C3F 46	119	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	99		
45	119	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	99		
C4F 46	116	120	120	120	120	120	120	119	99		
45	117	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	97		
44	118	120	120	120	120	120	--	120	96		
C3R 46	118	120	120	120	120	--	--	120	99		
45	118	120	120	120	120	--	--	120	98		
C4R 46	116	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	98		
45	116	120	120	120	120	120	120	119	98		
44	118	120	120	120	120	--	120	120	96		
C3M 46	114	120	120	120	120	--	--	120	99		
45	--	120	120	120	120	--	--	120	100		
C4M 46	--	120	120	120	120	120	--	119	98		
45	116	120	120	120	120	120	120	120	95		
44	115	119	120	120	120	120	--	119	92		
C5M 45	--	116	120	120	120	120	--	119	88		
C4G 46	116	120	120	120	--	120	--	119	95		
45	116	119	120	120	120	120	120	119	96		
Lugs:											
X3F	114	120	120	120	120	120	120	119	97		
X3R	112	120	120	120	120	--	--	119	97		
X4R	112	119	120	120	--	120	--	118	89		
X3M	114	119	120	120	120	--	--	119	94		
X4M	108	118	120	120	120	120	120	118	89		
X5M	104	116	120	120	120	120	120	117	80		
X4G	109	118	120	120	120	120	120	119	85		
X5G	103	116	120	120	120	120	120	116	71		
Nondescript:											
N1G	96	113	120	119	120	118	119	114	65		
N2G	94	108	119	118	117	99	120	112	54		

1/ Averages based on auction sales, including Association deliveries at advance prices.

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2/ For key to standard grade marks, see brief of classifications on Page 6.

Table 13 (cont'd) - Average prices per 100 pounds of tobacco by weeks on representative grades for the Virginia sun-cured market and season averages. 1/

Group and Grade 2/	TYPE 37 -- VIRGINIA SUN-CURED				1976 Crop Average (Dollars)	1975 Crop Average (Dollars)		
	WEEK ENDING:							
	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	Jan. 21	Jan. 28				
----- (Dollars) -----								
Heavy Leaf:								
B3F 45	114	116	121	118	116	102		
44	114	118	120	--	116	100		
B4F 45	110	114	117	114	114	98		
44	108	113	116	113	112	97		
B4G 44	--	111	113	109	111	92		
Thin Leaf:								
C3F 45	115	118	121	120	118	103		
44	113	118	--	116	116	101		
C4F 45	111	--	116	115	114	98		
44	109	112	115	114	112	97		
C4M 44	104	109	--	--	107	--		
Luges:								
X4L	104	107	--	--	105	91		
X4F	102	--	106	--	104	91		
X3M	106	--	106	--	107	94		
X4M	99	102	99	--	100	89		
X5M	94	--	89	--	93	84		
X4G	98	100	95	91	97	85		
X5G	87	89	89	87	88	78		
Nondescript:								
N1G	70	--	88	60	76	67		

1/ Averages based on auction sales including Association deliveries at advance prices.

2/ For key to standard grade marks, see brief of classification on Page 6.

Table 14 - Percentage of sales by group for fire-cured and dark air-cured types.

Crop Year	A Wrappers	B Heavy Leaf	C Thin Leaf	T Tips	X Lugs	Nondescript	Miscellaneous
	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
TYPE 21							
1967	.4	38.5	19.8	N.A.	24.6	7.4	9.3
1968	.3	35.4	26.7	N.A.	26.6	5.2	5.8
1969	.8	37.3	26.2	N.A.	23.4	4.8	7.5
1970	.3	29.8	35.5	N.A.	19.9	6.0	8.5
1971	.7	42.4	19.8	N.A.	23.9	4.3	8.9
1972	.4	30.6	36.6	N.A.	20.8	3.5	8.1
1973	.3	25.9	42.6	N.A.	23.5	4.2	3.4
1974	.4	26.5	34.9	N.A.	20.3	9.9	8.0
1975	.2	19.1	44.0	N.A.	24.6	5.6	6.5
1976	.2	18.9	41.5	N.A.	29.0	6.2	4.2
TYPE 22							
1967	3.9	45.2	15.7	N.A.	31.7	1.7	1.8
1968	3.2	41.0	23.2	N.A.	29.6	.9	2.1
1969	1.9	39.6	19.5	N.A.	34.2	2.2	2.6
1970	1.6	41.4	22.3	N.A.	30.8	2.0	1.9
1971	3.5	40.4	22.5	N.A.	29.8	1.9	1.9
1972	1.9	40.7	21.9	N.A.	28.1	4.5	2.9
1973	1.6	33.5	26.9	N.A.	32.4	2.4	3.2
2/1974	1.9	21.1	32.9	N.A.	29.6	9.2	6.3
1975	1.8	17.8	42.8	N.A.	32.0	3.3	2.3
1976	1.7	13.2	38.7	N.A.	24.1	7.5	14.8
TYPE 23							
1967	--	23.1	32.4	N.A.	35.4	6.1	3.0
1968	--	22.1	38.4	N.A.	33.6	1.9	4.0
1969	--	35.7	20.2	N.A.	33.8	4.4	5.9
1970	--	30.6	29.5	N.A.	32.4	3.7	3.8
1971	--	27.1	32.0	N.A.	32.0	3.1	5.8
1972	--	24.0	35.5	N.A.	31.2	7.0	2.3
1973	--	29.8	33.1	N.A.	31.2	1.6	4.3
1974	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--
1975	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--
1976	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--
TYPE 35							
1967	5.6	21.3	19.0	.2	32.7	12.2	9.0
1968	4.6	22.4	25.6	.1	33.2	9.4	4.7
1969	1.2	30.1	17.9	1/	34.8	10.2	5.8
1970	.7	18.3	25.9	1/	28.8	11.7	14.6
1971	.9	21.2	20.1	1/	26.8	15.8	15.2
1972	1.5	17.7	26.4	.1	32.4	9.2	12.7
1973	.7	17.3	31.1	.1	35.4	6.7	8.7
1974	.4	25.3	25.3	.2	29.5	12.1	7.2
1975	1.0	21.8	33.8	.1	32.1	4.8	6.4
1976	.1	25.1	32.5	.5	28.0	8.8	5.0
TYPE 36							
1967	--	29.0	21.5	2.7	24.6	15.4	6.8
1968	--	34.7	21.5	1.2	29.0	10.4	3.2
1969	--	32.1	19.4	1.3	27.2	15.7	4.3
1970	--	26.8	25.9	.7	23.7	10.0	12.9
1971	--	26.6	25.2	.4	26.7	8.3	12.8
1972	--	12.8	38.1	.8	22.2	10.7	15.4
1973	--	18.1	37.0	1.8	29.3	6.7	7.1
1974	--	21.1	36.0	.7	23.8	8.5	9.9
1975	--	8.4	47.8	.6	27.2	10.4	5.6
1976	--	9.6	53.2	1.5	23.8	10.3	1.6
TYPE 37							
1967	.1	28.9	19.2	3.4	34.2	7.0	7.2
1968	--	32.9	16.2	3.2	33.9	4.3	9.5
1969	.2	34.1	21.0	1.3	27.8	5.8	9.8
1970	.2	23.9	27.1	1.1	28.9	3.6	15.2
1971	.1	41.0	9.4	.6	28.3	3.2	17.4
1972	.5	33.9	14.8	.7	36.6	3.1	10.4
1973	--	33.9	33.5	.2	26.4	3.9	2.1
1974	.4	36.5	22.3	1/	25.2	8.3	7.3
1975	--	26.3	23.9	1.4	28.1	4.9	15.4
1976	.3	28.6	24.7	.8	40.0	3.2	2.4

1/ Volume insufficient to quote percentage.

N.A. - Not Applicable.

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2/ Beginning 1974, Types 22 and 23 have been combined.

Table 14 (cont'd) - Percentage of sales by quality for fire-cured and dark air-cured types.

Crop Year	1 Choice Pct.	2 Fine Pct.	3 Good Pct.	4 Fair Pct.	5 Low Pct.	Nondes- cript Pct.	Miscell- aneous Pct.
TYPE 21							
1967	1.5	6.6	19.7	35.5	20.0	7.4	9.3
1968	1.7	7.6	24.0	39.4	16.3	5.2	5.8
1969	1.9	9.1	23.0	38.4	15.3	4.8	7.5
1970	1.5	8.3	21.4	35.9	18.4	6.0	8.5
1971	1.9	9.0	24.8	36.7	14.4	4.3	8.9
1972	1.8	8.1	27.1	39.6	11.8	3.5	8.1
1973	3.8	11.9	30.2	33.7	12.7	4.2	3.4
1974	2.3	7.8	22.9	31.6	17.5	9.9	8.0
1975	2.9	8.5	27.8	33.9	14.9	5.6	6.4
1976	1.2	5.3	27.4	41.3	14.5	6.2	4.1
TYPE 22							
1967	1.6	7.7	37.5	37.8	11.9	1.7	1.8
1968	2.8	12.4	42.3	32.7	6.8	.9	2.1
1969	1.2	7.3	36.1	36.6	14.0	2.2	2.6
1970	1.6	8.9	35.6	38.4	11.6	2.0	1.9
1971	3.1	9.5	28.4	41.4	13.8	1.9	1.9
1972	2.4	9.1	28.0	37.4	15.7	4.5	2.9
1973	2.3	9.1	31.6	37.6	13.7	2.4	3.2
2/ 1974	1.5	4.1	20.8	35.3	22.8	9.2	6.3
1975	1.6	6.9	24.5	46.3	15.1	3.3	2.3
1976	.9	2.6	13.0	41.2	20.1	7.5	14.7
TYPE 23							
1967	.1	1.8	16.3	47.0	25.7	6.1	3.0
1968	1.5	7.0	33.7	38.0	13.9	1.9	4.0
1969	.2	4.0	28.0	36.2	21.3	4.4	5.9
1970	.6	4.2	25.7	41.9	20.1	3.7	3.8
1971	.4	2.9	20.1	48.9	18.8	3.1	5.8
1972	.1	3.3	15.0	46.7	25.6	7.0	2.3
1973	.7	11.2	39.2	35.4	7.6	1.6	4.3
1974	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1975	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
1976	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
TYPE 35							
1967	4.1	14.0	20.4	22.6	17.7	12.2	9.0
1968	6.2	19.5	26.2	19.9	14.1	9.4	4.7
1969	1.8	11.6	28.1	24.9	17.6	10.2	5.8
1970	1.4	12.6	25.6	20.4	13.7	11.7	14.6
1971	.3	4.0	15.0	25.8	23.9	15.8	15.2
1972	3.0	12.8	24.4	21.2	16.7	9.2	12.7
1973	1.4	12.2	27.5	26.6	16.8	6.7	8.7
1974	.5	5.9	26.4	28.6	19.3	12.1	7.2
1975	3.4	12.5	28.3	31.1	13.5	4.8	6.4
1976	.7	6.5	29.0	35.9	14.1	8.8	5.0
TYPE 36							
1967	.2	2.5	21.3	38.5	15.3	15.4	6.8
1968	.2	3.8	34.5	34.8	13.1	10.4	3.2
1969	1/	1.9	21.6	41.2	15.3	15.7	4.3
1970	1/	2.0	23.3	40.5	11.3	10.0	12.9
1971	.3	3.7	26.8	35.2	12.9	8.3	12.8
1972	.2	1.7	20.3	37.8	13.9	10.7	15.4
1973	.3	4.4	30.5	36.1	14.9	6.7	7.1
1974	.3	6.3	24.2	35.0	15.8	8.5	9.9
1975	.4	5.3	23.3	40.9	14.1	10.4	5.6
1976	.2	2.2	27.6	41.6	16.4	10.3	1.7
TYPE 37							
1967	.6	4.3	27.2	40.4	13.3	7.0	7.2
1968	1.0	3.7	26.2	43.9	11.4	4.3	9.5
1969	.6	3.3	18.2	42.8	19.5	5.8	9.8
1970	1.2	5.7	24.6	38.3	11.4	3.6	15.2
1971	.8	5.0	20.5	39.1	14.0	3.2	17.4
1972	2.1	8.0	31.4	38.4	6.6	3.1	10.4
1973	1.1	5.9	26.4	51.0	9.5	3.9	2.1
1974	1.1	3.5	27.5	37.8	14.5	8.3	7.3
1975	.5	1.9	22.5	38.3	16.6	4.9	15.3
1976	.4	1.9	19.7	61.7	10.7	3.2	2.4

1/ Volume insufficient to quote percentage. N.A. - Not Applicable.

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2/ Beginning 1974, Types 22 and 23 have been combined.

Table 14 (cont'd) - Percentage of sales by color for fire-cured and dark air-cured types.

Crop Year	L	VF	F	R	D	M	G	Non.	Misc.
	Pct.								
TYPE 21									
1967	2.4	N.A.	24.2	N.A.	11.7	17.8	27.2	7.4	9.3
1968	4.1	N.A.	31.0	N.A.	8.0	22.6	23.3	5.2	5.8
1969	2.9	N.A.	34.2	N.A.	11.8	17.2	21.6	4.8	7.5
1970	5.8	N.A.	38.5	N.A.	7.3	18.9	15.0	6.0	8.5
1971	2.1	N.A.	45.0	N.A.	21.1	8.7	9.9	4.3	8.9
1972	6.8	N.A.	50.7	N.A.	6.5	14.0	10.4	3.5	8.1
1973	11.7	N.A.	53.0	N.A.	5.8	10.8	11.1	4.2	3.4
1974	5.6	N.A.	43.8	N.A.	7.8	11.7	13.2	9.9	8.0
1975	15.4	N.A.	48.2	N.A.	4.7	9.6	10.0	5.6	6.5
1976	18.8	N.A.	40.5	N.A.	1.8	15.3	13.2	6.2	4.2
TYPE 22									
1967	.3	17.7	26.5	N.A.	15.8	9.6	26.6	1.7	1.8
1968	.6	23.6	37.4	N.A.	11.1	3.5	20.8	.9	2.1
1969	.5	22.9	29.2	N.A.	15.2	2.1	25.3	2.2	2.6
1970	.4	25.7	37.2	N.A.	8.5	3.5	20.8	2.0	1.9
1971	.3	21.8	46.3	N.A.	11.5	1.7	14.6	1.9	1.9
1972	.5	22.3	42.6	N.A.	8.3	2.0	16.9	4.5	2.9
1973	1.0	23.2	46.8	N.A.	7.9	3.4	11.9	2.4	3.2
2/ 1974	1.5	19.2	38.4	N.A.	8.4	3.8	13.2	9.2	6.3
1975	1.3	26.8	42.9	N.A.	4.8	4.1	14.5	3.3	2.3
1976	.3	14.4	17.4	N.A.	3.3	18.2	24.2	7.5	14.7
TYPE 23									
1967	.1	13.7	27.8	N.A.	6.8	22.0	20.5	6.1	3.0
1968	.6	24.7	36.2	N.A.	3.4	6.9	22.3	1.9	4.0
1969	--	21.2	29.6	N.A.	7.8	4.9	26.2	4.4	5.9
1970	.2	17.7	35.0	N.A.	5.7	8.9	25.0	3.7	3.8
1971	.2	18.1	38.4	N.A.	8.2	4.1	22.1	3.1	5.8
1972	.2	17.4	45.8	N.A.	2.6	6.3	18.4	7.0	2.3
1973	.2	22.7	55.3	N.A.	4.5	2.3	9.2	1.6	4.3
1974	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--	--	--
1975	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--	--	--
1976	--	--	--	N.A.	--	--	--	--	--
TYPE 35									
1967	.3	N.A.	20.2	24.0	1.0	14.2	19.1	12.2	9.0
1968	.4	N.A.	23.5	30.3	.6	11.3	19.8	9.4	4.7
1969	.3	N.A.	12.2	31.1	5.0	10.5	24.9	10.2	5.8
1970	.1	N.A.	13.7	33.7	.9	10.5	14.8	11.7	14.6
1971	.2	N.A.	14.6	27.4	.7	10.6	15.5	15.8	15.2
1972	.4	N.A.	23.5	30.7	.5	8.8	14.2	9.2	12.7
1973	1.5	N.A.	24.6	28.0	.6	13.4	16.4	6.7	8.7
1974	.2	N.A.	24.0	34.0	.2	8.2	14.1	12.1	7.2
1975	.3	N.A.	32.9	35.9	.1	4.5	14.9	4.8	6.6
1976	1.2	N.A.	39.8	18.2	.1	13.7	13.2	8.8	5.0
TYPE 36									
1967	.1	N.A.	13.7	21.8	.6	20.8	20.8	15.4	6.8
1968	.2	N.A.	19.0	24.1	.7	21.8	20.6	10.4	3.2
1969	.6	N.A.	13.4	21.1	1.4	21.9	21.6	15.7	4.3
1970	.2	N.A.	16.7	26.2	.9	15.4	17.7	10.0	12.9
1971	.7	N.A.	25.9	26.5	1.8	11.9	12.1	8.3	12.8
1972	3.8	N.A.	26.0	17.9	.2	14.5	11.5	10.7	15.4
1973	3.1	N.A.	35.1	21.9	.8	15.3	9.9	6.7	7.1
1974	1.4	N.A.	28.0	21.6	1.7	8.6	20.4	8.5	9.9
1975	3.5	N.A.	26.3	13.6	.1	21.5	19.0	10.4	5.6
1976	1.0	N.A.	24.3	21.0	.1	23.0	18.6	10.3	1.7
TYPE 37									
1967	2.4	N.A.	30.6	15.3	.1	14.3	23.1	7.0	7.2
1968	3.2	N.A.	38.4	5.0	--	16.4	23.2	4.3	9.5
1969	2.1	N.A.	42.1	6.1	--	10.0	24.1	5.8	9.8
1970	8.9	N.A.	44.1	1.9	--	14.4	11.9	3.6	15.2
1971	.3	N.A.	47.9	15.0	--	5.9	10.3	3.2	17.4
1972	2.6	N.A.	60.4	2.5	--	7.4	13.6	3.1	10.4
1973	2.0	N.A.	59.3	2.4	--	8.6	21.6	4.0	2.1
1974	1.2	N.A.	38.5	5.6	1/	10.4	28.7	8.3	7.3
1975	3.6	N.A.	41.0	6.0	.1	7.4	21.7	4.9	15.3
1976	5.3	N.A.	44.0	1.7	.1	14.3	29.1	3.2	2.3

See color codes on Pages 5 and 6.

N.A. - Not Applicable

2/ Beginning 1974, Types 22 and 23 were combined.

Table 15 - Percentage distribution by grades for fire-cured and dark air-cured types, 1976 crops.

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P					Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37		Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Wrappers:											
A1F 47	--	--	--	--	--	B4VF 44	.110				
46	.006	.724	--	--	--	43	--				
45	--	--	--	--	--	B5VF 47	.084				
44	NA	NA	NA	NA	--	46	.047				
A2F 47	--	--	--	--	--	45	.020				
46	.026	.712	.122	--	--	44	--				
45	.160	--	--	--	.216	43	--				
A3F 47	NA	NA	NA	NA	--	Total BVF	4.562				
46	NA	--	--	--	--	B1R 47					NA
45	NA	.201	--	--	--	46					--
44	NA	--	--	--	--	45					--
Total AF	.192	1.637	.122	--	.280	B2R 47					NA
A1R 47						46					--
46						45					.055
45						44					.056
A2R 47						B3R 47					.026
46						46					--
45						45					NA
A3R 47						44					1.268
46						B4R 47					.843
45						46					.247
44						45					.891
Total AR						44					.503
A1D 47						B5R 47					.051
46						46					.189
45						45					--
A2D 47						44					NA
46						B1D 47					1.407
45						46					.370
A3D 47						45					1.068
46						B3D 47					.696
45						46					.394
Total AD						45					.268
Total A						44					.283
						B2D 47					.631
Heavy Leaf:						46					--
B1F 47	--	--	--	--	NA	45					NA
46	.088	.021	.255	--	--	B4D 47					--
45	.044	.029	.044	--	.310	46					--
44	NA	--	--	--	NA	45					--
B2F 47	.005	--	--	--	NA	B3M 47					NA
46	.356	.752	1.704	.364	.030	46					--
45	1.337	.035	.209	.048	.865	45					--
44	.162	--	--	--	.118	B4M 47					NA
B3F 47	.005	.079	--	--	NA	46					--
46	.291	1.715	5.335	1.008	.019	45					--
45	4.601	.271	2.138	.554	4.675	B5M 47					--
44	2.316	.028	.070	.093	3.248	46					--
43	.095	--	NA	NA	NA	45					--
B4F 47	--	--	--	--	NA	44					--
46	.055	1.165	2.760	.642	--	43					--
45	1.322	.515	2.658	.412	3.779	B3M 47					NA
44	2.411	.014	.098	.117	8.366	46					--
B5F 47	.408	--	NA	NA	NA	45					.202
46	.017	.075	.098	.018	--	44					.177
45	.035	.171	.157	--	.246	43					.005
44	.053	--	.089	.004	.226	B4M 47					--
43	.004	--	NA	NA	NA	46					NA
Total BF	13.605	4.870	15.615	3.260	21.882	45					--
B3VF 47						44					NA
46						43					--
45						B4M 47					--
44						46					NA
43						45					--
B4VF 47						44					NA
46						43					--
45						B5M 47					NA
44						46					--
43						45					NA
						44					--
						43					NA
						Total BM					--
						1.497	1.199	2.418	1.821	1.087	

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Percentage distribution by grades for fire-cured and dark air-cured types, 1976 crops.

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P					Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37		Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent		Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent	
B3G 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C3VF 45					
46	.015	.140	.125	.167	NA	44					
45	.131	.129	.038	.170	NA	43					
44	.114	.059	--	.016	.319	C4VF 47					
43	.008	--	NA	NA	NA	46					
B4G 47	--	.043	--	--	NA	45					
46	.210	.609	.205	.408	NA	44					
45	.293	.672	.189	.545	1.022	43					
44	.724	.286	.102	.011	2.508	C5VF 47					
43	.379	--	NA	NA	NA	46					
B5G 47	--	--	--	--	NA	45					
46	.016	.041	.181	.093	NA	44					
45	.085	.093	.089	.108	.038	43					
44	.239	.091	.081	.016	.269	Total CVF					
43	.290	--	NA	NA	NA		11.605				
Total BG	2.504	2.163	1.010	1.534	4.156	C1R 47					
Total B	18.897	13.209	25.081	9.593	28.610	46					
Thin Leaf:						45					
C1L 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C2R 47					
46	.256	--	--	--	NA	46					
45	.111	--	--	--	.035	45					
44	NA	--	--	--	NA	44					
C2L 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C3R 47					
46	.501	.004	.203	.035	NA	46					
45	.705	--	--	--	NA	45					
44	.032	--	--	--	NA	44					
C3L 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C4R 47					
46	.660	.028	.161	.284	NA	46					
45	3.699	.041	.074	.096	.612	45					
44	.799	--	--	--	.391	44					
43	NA	--	NA	NA	NA	C5R 47					
C4L 47	--	--	--	--	NA	46					
46	.307	.048	.207	.282	NA	45					
45	3.502	.053	.122	.016	.334	44					
44	2.289	--	.011	.014	.830	Total CR					
43	NA	--	NA	NA	NA		8.324	15.412	.098		
C5L 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C1D 47					
46	.021	.005	--	--	NA	46					
45	.526	.003	.014	--	.063	45					
44	.153	--	.020	--	.061	44					
Total CL	13.561	.182	.812	.727	2.326	C2D 47					
C1F 47	--	--	--	--	NA	46					
46	.395	.062	--	.133	NA	C3D 47					
45	.120	.024	--	--	NA	46					
44	NA	--	--	--	NA	45					
C2F 47	.016	--	--	--	NA	45					
46	.485	.791	1.975	.794	--	43					
45	1.083	.082	.091	.250	.166	C4D 47					
44	.090	--	--	--	.126	46					
C3F 47	.007	--	--	--	NA	45					
46	.778	2.032	5.172	6.469	--	44					
45	6.749	.464	2.417	2.691	2.729	43					
44	2.101	.014	.142	.192	2.171	C5D 47					
43	NA	--	NA	NA	NA	46					
C4F 47	.002	--	--	--	NA	45					
46	.374	3.124	3.348	4.068	.018	44					
45	4.182	2.010	3.770	2.953	4.136	43					
44	3.657	.166	.289	.654	7.450	Total CD					
43	NA	.013	NA	NA	NA		.129	2.521			
C5F 47	--	--	--	--	NA	C3M 47					
46	.027	.442	.096	.523	--	46					
45	.493	.595	.231	.054	.277	45					
44	.197	.051	.029	.001	.203	44					
43	NA	--	NA	NA	NA	43					
Total CF	20.756	9.870	17.560	18.782	17.276	C4M 47					
C3VF 47						46					
46	1.151					45					
						44					
						43					

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Table 15 (cont'd) - Percentage distribution by grades for fire-cured and dark air-cured types, 1976 crops.

Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P					Group and Grade	1 9 7 6 C R O P				
	Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37		Type 21	Types 22-23	Type 35	Type 36	Type 37
C5M 47	--	--	--	--	NA	X1F	.074	.025	.177	.093	--
46	.016	.196	.049	.325	--	X2F	.261	.132	.836	.359	.262
45	.363	1.101	.319	.859	.078	X3F	1.448	.252	3.069	.921	1.123
44	.313	.581	.159	.484	.076	X4F	3.170	.469	1.730	.389	2.943
43	NA	.017	NA	--	NA	X5F	1.025	.171	.602	.358	.097
Total CM	4.196	6.568	4.085	12.025	2.215	Total XF	5.978	1.049	6.414	2.120	4.425
C3G 47	--	--	--	--	NA	X3VF		1.359			
46	.011	.180	--	.283	--	X4VF		3.382			
45	.120	.077	.040	.153	--	X5VF		1.509			
44	.193	.042	.009	.012	.027	Total XVF		6.250			
43	NA	--	NA	NA	NA	X1R			.051	--	--
C4G 47	--	.008	--	--	NA	X2R			.309	.113	--
46	.075	1.470	.259	1.454	--	X3R			1.410	1.100	--
45	.544	2.337	.539	1.666	.560	X4R			1.222	.805	.073
44	1.244	.390	.119	.652	1.378	X5R			.742	.315	.067
43	NA	.011	NA	NA	NA	Total XR			3.734	2.333	.140
C5G 47	.006	.021	--	--	NA	X1D					
46	.016	1.129	.359	.599	--	X2D					
45	.208	1.805	.336	1.024	.184	X3D					
44	.439	.493	.109	.369	.598	X4D					
43	NA	.021	NA	NA	NA	X5D					
Total CG	2.856	7.984	1.770	6.212	2.747	Total XD	.328	.273	.034	.004	.078
Total C	41.498	38.730	32.551	53.158	24.662	X3M	.377	.150	1.578	1.835	1.998
Tips:						X3M 45	.049	NA	NA	NA	NA
T3F						X4M	4.999	1.022	2.393	3.165	7.392
T4F						X4M 45	.120	NA	NA	NA	NA
T5F						X5M	4.052	1.180	3.093	3.584	1.446
Total TF						X5M 45	.041	NA	NA	NA	NA
T3R						Total XM	9.638	2.352	7.064	8.584	10.836
T4R						X3G	.255	.139	.636	.551	.812
T5R						X3G 45	.020	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total TR						X4G	3.502	6.021	3.917	3.693	14.635
T3D						X4G 45	.133	NA	NA	NA	NA
T4D						X5G	3.837	7.843	5.800	6.232	6.149
T5D						X5G 45	.092	NA	NA	NA	NA
Total TD						Total XG	7.839	14.003	10.353	10.476	21.596
T3M						Total X	29.033	24.087	27.952	23.754	40.015
T4M						Nondescript:					
T5M						N1L	1.254	.210	.332	.091	.116
Total TM						N2L	NA	NA	.174	.267	--
T3C						N1R	NA	NA	.383	.223	.036
T4G						N2R	NA	NA	.139	.013	.015
T5G						N1D	.305	.253	NA	NA	NA
Total TG						N1G	2.911	4.997	4.569	6.397	1.891
Total T						N2G	NA	NA	3.202	3.294	1.099
Lugs:						N2	1.705	1.991	NA	NA	NA
X1L	.082	--	--	--	--	Total N	6.175	7.451	8.799	10.285	3.157
X2L	.168	.005	.022	.024	.139	No Grade 1/	4.166	14.834	4.973	1.693	2.426
X3L	1.061	.014	.108	.153	1.041	Grand Total	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000	100.000
X4L	2.554	.047	.088	.007	1.652	****					
X5L	1.385	.094	.135	.053	.108						
Total XL	5.250	.160	.353	.237	2.940						

1/ Includes wet and unsound tobacco.

NA - Not applicable.

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